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FOR SALE.—15 H. P. Four-cylinder Noiseless and Smokeless Extra Strong Colonial NAPIER, 9 feet 10 in. wheelbase, R. W. Detachable Wire Wheels, Tyres 915 X 105. Suitable for the roughest roads, having a ground clearance of 11 inches. Carburettor is placed high above the frame to enable car to go through deep water. Fitted with Touring body, Hood, Wind Screen, Speedometer, Luggage Grid, Tool Box, 2 Acetylene Head Lamps, Generator, 2 Side Lamps, Tail Lamp, Horn. Spare detachable wheel with tyre and inner tube. Bought new August 1913. Has been in most careful use by owner driving himself. Home cost, completely fitted as mentioned, £570/- exclusive of packing, freight, insurance, shipping, Customs duty and landing in India. Offered for Rs. 7,000/-.

Apply to owner—

WALTER PROCTER,
c/o Messrs. Marcks and CO., Ltd.,
Bombay.
4413

TO BE LET

TO BE LET—2ND FLOOR lately occupied by The Parsi Press on Frere Road, Fort. Apply next door No. 105. 4284

TO BE LET.—Ground, first and second floor of a Bungalow situate on Warden Road as a whole or separately. Apply DAMODAR RAMJEE, 6 Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay. 4301

TO LET.—LONAVLA, "BAROMETER VIEW," 'A' and 'C' Bangalows furnished for season. Apply MRS. COOVERJI MANCHERJI MISTRY, Khambata Lane, Khotwadi. 4305

TO BE LET.

AT PANCHGANI, best situated Valley View to be let till 31st December. Apply Dr. VAKIL, Dalkeith. 4464

TO BE LET—Second and Fourth Floor, Prince Building, Meadow Street Fort, Apply DADA DEVRAJ Chuckla Street, near Crawford Market. 4463

SOUTH-WEST ROOM to let with board furnished, electric light and fan. Mereweather Road. Apply to Box No. 1023 Advt. Dept. "Bombay Chronicle." 4448

TO LET—Two pleasant unfurnished rooms facing the open sea at a Villa in Bandra. Suit a bachelor (European). Rent moderate. With or without board. Apply Box No. 553, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 3094

A LADY has superior accommodation for two gentlemen as paying guests one of the best parts of Byculla, in the vicinity of the Byculla Club. Apply to Box No. 554, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 3082

TO BE LET—A good flat in Wellington House Apollo Bunder. Rent moderate. Apply to

E. W. FLOWER & SON.
House Agents.
Dalal Street,
Office Telephone No. 2611.
House Telephone No. 458. 4461

TO BE LET—A portion of a flat at Apollo Bunder for Rs. 100. Apply to

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TO BE LET—The ground floor west of "DATOOBHOY MANSIONS" furnished. Rent moderate. Apply to

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NOTICES.

NEW MOFUSSIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be convened after the business of the Ordinary General Meeting is finished, at which it is intended to propose the following:—

(a) The following Article shall be substituted for Article 17 namely:—"If several persons are registered as joint-holders of any share they shall be severally as well as jointly liable for any call, payment, or other liability in respect of such share but the first named upon the register shall., as regards voting proxy and service of notices, be deemed the sole owner thereof. Any of such persons may give effectual receipts for dividends, bonus sturn of capital, or other payments and upon the death of a registered joint-holder the surviving registered joint-holders or holder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as entitled to the share. For the purposes of a quorum joint-holders of any share shall be considered as one member."

(b) In Article 26 the words "not being one of several jointholders" shall be inserted after the words "The executor or administrator of a deceased shareholder (whether a European, Hindu, Mahomedan or otherwise)."

By Order of the Board,
THOS. D. MOORE.
Chief Agent.

Dated this 18th November 1914. 4459

NEW MOFUSSIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TWENTY-FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the NEW MOFUSSIL COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the registered office of the Company, 27, Hummum Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th November 1914, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1. To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts for the year ending 30th June 1914 and to sanction the declaration of a Dividend.
2. To elect a Director in place of one who retires by rotation but is eligible for re-election.
3. To appoint an Auditor or Auditors for the current year and fix his or their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th November to 2nd December 1914, both days inclusive, during which period the Account Books of the Company will be open for inspection of Shareholders.

By order of the Directors.
THOS. D. MOORE,
Chief Agent.

Bombay, 18th November, 1914. 4459

Do not try to endure that nerve-racking cough. Zymole Trokeys will stop it and remove the irritation. They dispel hoarseness and strengthen the throat.

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NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

PROCLAMATION.—BOMBAY TO WIT. By virtue of a Precept to me directed, I hereby proclaim and give notice, that the FIFTH SESSIONS of 1914, of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery will be holden before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, at the Court House, on FRIDAY, the 20th day of November, 1914, at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders and other Felonies, Perjury, Trespasses and other Crimes, Misdemeanors and Offences, had, done, or committed within the Town and Island of Bombay, and the Limits thereof, and the Factories subordinate thereto; and also to inquire hear and determine, in the like manner, all Treasons, Murders, Felonies, Forgeries, Perjuries, Crimes, Extortions, Misdemeanors, Offences, Wrongs and Oppressions, had, done or committed by any of His Majesty's British Subjects in any of the Territories which now are subject to or dependent upon the Government of Bombay, or within any of the Dominions of the Native Princes of India in alliance with the said Government.

And also, that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, Piracies, Robberies, Felonies, Misdemeanors, Offences and other Maritime Crimes whatsoever, done or committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby give notice to all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions, or in any way concerned therein, that they are to attend at the time and place abovementioned, and not to depart without leave of the Court.

And I hereby give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Escheators and also all Chief Constables and Bailiffs of the Town and Island of Bombay and the limits thereof, that they be then and there in their own persons, with their Rolls, Records, Indictments and other Remembrances to do those things which to their offices in that behalf appertain to be done.

Dated 6th day of November, 1914.

FAZULBHOY M. CHINOY,
Sheriff of Bombay.

4368

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

In the matter of the Guardian and Wards Act VIII of 1890.

and

In the matter of TOCKERSEY DEWJI JEWAT of Bombay Bania Hindu inhabitant minor under the age of 18 years.

MUREBAI widow of DEWJI JEWAT of Bombay Bania Hindu inhabitant residing at Bhandup Street outside the Fort ..... Petitioner.

vs.

MEGHJI HIRJI of Bombay Bania Hindu inhabitant residing... at Bhandup Street outside the Fort. Respondent.

and

GOREBAI wife of MEGHJI HIRJI of Bombay Jain Hindu inhabitant residing at Mandvi outside the Fort, ... Petitioner.

vs.

MURBAI widow of DEWJI JEWAT of Bombay Bania Hindu inhabitant residing at Bhandup Street outside the Fort ..... Respondent.

and

Messrs. DASTUR & Co. ..... Applicants.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a warrant of immoveable property dated the 26th day of September 1914 the Sheriff has been directed to sell by public auction at the instance of Messrs. Dastur and Co. applicants abovenamed all the right title and interest of Gorebai wife of Meghji Hirji in the following property:—

All that piece or parcel of leasehold land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Girgaum Road in Zaoba's oart outside the Fort in the registration sub district of Bombay containing by admeasurement two hundred and fifteen square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C. Ward No. 4348 and Street No. 46 and by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 280 and bounded as follows—that is to say on or towards the East by the property of Jugganath Jeewanji on or towards the West North and South by the Zaoba's oart.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having rights in or charges or claims on the abovenamed property (other than claims involving an objection to the attachment or seeking the removal of the same) that they should on or before the 6th day of December 1914 lodge in my office a statement verified by oath or solemn affirmation of such rights claims or charges.

Dated this 6th day of November 1914.

H. H. WADIA,
4398 Acting Assistant Commissioner.

THE WESTERN INDIA SPINNING AND MANUFACTURING CO., LTD,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that as per Resolution passed at the General Meeting of the Shareholders held on 14th instant, a DIVIDEND for the year ending 30th June, 1914, at the rate of Rs. 30 per Share will be paid on and after THURSDAY, the 19th instant, between the hours of 12-30 p.m. to 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12,, Hummum Street, Fort, to those Shareholders whose names stood on the Register on the 12th November, 1914, on production of Share Certificates.

THACKERSEY MOOLJEE SONS & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.

Bombay, 16th November, 1914. 4452

THE HINDOOSTAN SPINNING AND WEAVING MILLS COMPANY, LD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that as per Resolution passed at the General Meeting of the Shareholders held on 14th instant, a DIVIDEND for the year ending 30th June, 1914, at the rate of Rs 30 per whole Share and Rs. 7-8-0 per quarter Share will be paid on and after THURSDAY, the 19th instant, between the hours of 12-30 p.m. to 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, to those Shareholders whose names stood on the Register on the 12th November, 1914, on production of Share Certificates.

THACKERSEY MOOLJEE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 16th November, 1914. 4452

NOTICES.

B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Daily Express between Bombay, Agra, Delhi, Ferozepore, Lahore, Sialkot, Rawalpindi and Peshawar.

TIME TABLE.

Down Northern Express.	Stations.	Up Northern Express.
1,2,3. H. M.		1,2,3. H. M.
21. 0	Dep. Bombay (Colaba)	Arr. 8.30
21.52	Arr. Agra (change at Bayana)	Dep. 7.35
20.37	" Mutra	" 8.45
23.20	" Delhi	" 6. 0
5.48	" Bhatinda	" 23.42
7.18	" Ferozepore Cantonment	" 22.12
8.56	" Lahore Cantonment West	" 20.32
11.17	" Wazirabad	" 17.50
14. 0	" Sialkot (change at Wazirabad)	" 14.54
12.49	" Jhelum	" 16.13
15.50	" Rawalpindi	" 13.32
19.10	" Nowshera	" 9.47
20.13	" Peshawar Cantonment	" 8.48

Between Bombay, Meerut, Saharanpur, Ambala, Kalka, and Simla.

Down Northern Express.*	Stations.	Up Northern Express.*
1,2,3. H. M.		1,2,3. H. M.
21. 0	Dep. Bombay (Colaba)	Arr. 8.30
28.20	Arr. Delhi	Dep. 6. 0
11.23	" Meerut Cantonment	" 2.11
18.27	" Saharanpur	" 23. 5
7.26	" Cantonment † Am	" 21. 8
8. 0	Dep. Am	Arr. 20.45
		Dep. 19.30
0 30	Arr. Kalka †	Arr. 18.40
	Simla	Dep. 18.10

*A through carriage runs daily on the Up and Down Northern Express trains between Bombay and Ambala.

†Change at Kalka and Ambala for Bombay.

NOTE.—For timings ↓ Up trains read from bottom to top of column.

FREDERICK W. HANSON,
General Traffic Manager

AUCTION SALE.

MEHTA & CO.

On Government & G. I. P. Railway Lists.
No. 53 Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Telephone No. 1285.

AUCTION SALE OF REAL PEARL DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

THIS DAY WEDNESDAY, the 18th current, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers will, under instructions from Sha Manilal Mohanlal and on account and at the risk of Jhaveri Dayabhai Panchand, sell by Public Auction at their Rooms at 53, Medows Street, Fort.

1 Ear-ring of 3 pearls set with diamond and emerald.

1 Morquis ring set with emerald and diamonds.

The above are on view.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENTS IN IMMOVABLE PROPERTY.

AUCTION SALE OF THE PROPERTY AT NAGDEVI STREET OR BHAJIPALA LANE.

Under instructions from Messrs. Rustomji and Jinwalla, attorneys for the Mortgagee, Haji Ahmed Hassum alias Dada, and on account and at the risk of Vithaldas Ravji the Mortgagor and by virtue of the power of Sale reserved unto the said mortgagee under the Indenture of mortgage dated the 25th day of February, 1913, Messrs. MEHTA & Co., Auctioneers will THIS DAY WEDNESDAY the 18th day of November, 1914, at 4-30 p.m., (S.T.), put up the property more particularly described in the schedule hereunder written for sale by Public Auction at the said premises.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari, land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house hereditaments and premises standing thereon situate lying and being at [illegible] Road or Bhajipala Street, without [illegible]t and in the registration sub-district of Bombay containing by admeasurement 10 feet and 2 inches in breadth and 73 feet in length or 86 square yards or thereabouts assessed by the municipal Collector under B ward Nos. 765—766 (wrongly described in the last conveyance as Nos. 765 and 764) and Street Nos. 29 to 31 A and bounded on the East by the property of Raghowji Coverji, on the West by the property of Bora Sullemanji Ahmedbhai on the North by the said Nagdevi Road and on the South by the sweeper's passage and bearing Collector's new Survey No. 2091.

For further particulars, conditions of Sale and inspection of title deeds apply to Messrs. Rustomji and Jinwalla at their Office at 373, Hornby Road, Fort, or to the Undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF A LANDED PROPERTY AT DADAR AGAR BAZAR.

On MONDAY, the 30th November, at 4-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co. Auctioneers, will under instructions from Mr. Sadanand Pandurand Wowly the surviving mortgagee under the Indenture of mortgage dated 20th April, 1914, in pursuance of the Pawer of Sale contained in the said indentyre and on account and at the risk of Ganpat Hari Govind the mortgagor, sell by Public Auction the following landed property on the premises.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground together with the messuage tenement or develling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Mahim Agar Bazar near Parbhadevi Road, without the Fort of Bombay on the registration District and Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 107, square yards or thereabouts and bounded on or towards the North, West, and South, by the land of the late Fazandar Pandoo Laxman Thakoor and on or towards the East by the public passage and which said premises are registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under new survey No. 1639 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward C. No. 2676 (1) and Street, No. 141.

For further particulars conditions of sale and inspection of deed application may be made to the undersigned.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 18th November, 1914.

AUCTION SALE.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS, 21, MEDOWS STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF A LARGE PIECE OF LAND AT POISAR, NEAR B. B. & C. I. RY. BORIVLI STATION.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 756 of 1914.

BHAIDAS THAKOREDAS ..... Plaintiff.

v/s.

DEVIDAS VANDRAWANDAS, Defendant.

Pursuant to the Decree in the above suit and bearing date the 4th day of August, 1914, the following immoveable properties will be sold in one lot by Public Auction by the Special Commissioner appointed herein on the premises at Poisar Taluka, Sasti Zilla Thana Pot Tukdi Bandra District Thana on the 25th day of November, 1914, in one lot at the hour of 4-30 o'clock in the afternoon unless the same have been sold previous thereto by private contract. Before the date of Auction the Special Commissioner will be glad to receive and consider any private offers for the said properties as he has power to sell the same by private contract with the consent of the parties to the suit.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the office of Messrs. Jehangir Seervai Minocher and Hiralal, Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 95, Ash Lane, Fort, Bombay.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTIES.

All that piece or parcel of land situate at Poisar Sasti Zilla Thana Pot Tukdi Bandra District Thana and bearing following numbers:—

Survey No.	Pot No.	Faini No.	Acres	Gunthats	Taxes
75	4	0	0	14	0-13-0
75	1	0	0	13¼	0- 9-0
75	0	0	2	1	4- 0-0
75	3	4	0	7	0- 1-0
4	0	2	0	1	0- 1-0
22	0	27	0	20	0- 4-0
8	7	0	0	3¾	0- 6-0
9	2	0	1	1	5- 8-0
9	1-4-6	½	0	3/2	0- 4-7
8	2	0	0	19¼	2- 4-0
15	1	0	0	3	0- 0-6
15	2	0	0	10¾	1- 4-0
17	4	0	0	7	1- 5-0
8	9-13	0	1	35	7- 6-0

The above piece consists of two plots one of which is bounded as follows:—On the East by the land of Byramji Jijibhoy, on the West by the land of Sinor Nicot Patel, on the North by the Garden of Pascal Anans Barell and on the South by the land of Patel Zoozia Mary Rebello and the second piece is bounded on the East by the land of Sinor Doming Patell, on the West by the land of Doming Afdool Moornel, on the North by the land of Miya Fakir of Bombay, and on the South by the land of Patel Zoozia Mary Rebello.

(Sd.) K. F. SEERVAI,
Special Commissioner.

SORABJI COWASJI & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 18th November, 1914.

M SRS. D'LAL M.& CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS

WEEKLY SALE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 18th instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. D'LAL M. and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, the rich office and household velvet and tapestry lined, drawing room suites, arm and armless chairs, lady's washing and writing tables, cane arm easy chairs, black wood cupboard, double and single door teak and black wood almyrahs, fancy cabinets, wooden benches, flower pot stands, table lamps, revolving chair, phonographs, records, simple and tile teapoys, show cases, safe, bookstands, etc., etc.

By order of the concerned.

1 complete Encyclopaedia.
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1 counter.

D'LAL M. & Co.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 18th November, 1914.

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(Sd.) SHEIKH DANISHMAND SUQRAT,
Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Lahore, 10th October, 1913.

PERSONS intending to make an excellent provision against ACCIDENT, DEATH of OLD AGE at lowest periodical payments need apply sharp to the undermentioned.

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AUCTION SALE-

BENNETT & CO.

NO. 22, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF PIECE GOODS.

THIS-DAY WEDNESDAY, the 18th instant, at 3-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, by order of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon and Co., and on account and risk of Multauj Gangaram Tricumdas:—

1 bale 60 pieces satin calendar No. 500, 21in. by 33, 5 lbs of the Jacob Mill.

1 bale 60 pieces satin calendar No. 550, 23in. by 33, 5½ lbs. of the Jacob Mill.

2 bales each 50 pieces satin calendar No. 600, 25in. by 33, 6 lbs. of the Jacob Mill.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

On SATURDAY, the 21st. instant at 3.30 p.m., (S.T), Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, a quantity of grey and piece-goods etc.

AT 2 P.M. (S. T.)

1 handsome strong rubber tyred victoria, in good order.

1 second hand glass fronted miniature office brougham.

1 second hand rubber tyred palanquin office Shigram in good order.

1 Bay horse, quiet in harness and saddle.

1 2 cylinder, 2 seated Star Motor Car with Dicky seat behind. in good running order and in good condition.

Under instructions from the Executors of the late Lady Harkisondass Narotamdass, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will on SUNDAY, the 22nd instant, at 2 p.m. (S.T.), sell by Public Auction, at Sir Harkisondass Narotamdass' Bungalow, at Pedder Road, Cumballa Hill, very valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood plain and carved F. P. household furniture made to order by "Benjamin," such as centre ottoman, "Diwan Suite," settees, combination jardiniers and cabinet settees, large fancy cabinets, hanging book cases, easy chairs, lady's chairs with tapestry, etc., very valuable large and small marble and bronze statues, such as "Psyche," "Pomona," "Venere," "Saffo," Gormand," "Mercury," "Distress and Rescue," "La Moisson," "Frightened Boys," "Venus," etc., terracotta busts, Celluloid figures, marble clocks, solid gold gift bronze clocks, majolia stands, Brussels carpets, verandah benches, Alabaster flower vases, one large cupboard, fashion Austrian safe, one iron safe by "Chubb," large China and Japanese vases, 1, 2, 4 and 6 lights gas chandeliers, almyrahs with glass door, cupboards, blackwood carved bedsteads, one large English clock by "James McCabe," iron carved benches, wooden benches with iron stands, valuable pictures and oleographs table lamps, etc., etc., etc.

The property of another gentleman.

One handsome strong nearly new canoe shape rubber tyred cabriolet, in good order.

Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

On SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. BENNETT & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Khar Road, Bandra (near the pond), very valuable and handsome made-to-order furniture by Roberts and others rich glass and crockery ware best plated ware, dining table, arm and without arm chairs, handsome side board, drawing room letter lined Chesterfield sofas and easy chairs, fancy pictures lamps, cabinets vases figures, single and double bedsteads almyrahs cloth and gown presses, dressing and wash hand tables, chest of drawers, teapoys carved furniture, valuable garden pots and tubs copper and aluminium utensils, etc. etc.

The property of S. Powell Esq., and others Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

BENNETT & Co.

Bombay, 18 Nov. 1914.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

16, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT KAMATIPURA 4TH STREET.

In the High Court of Jurisdiction at Bombay, T. & J. Jurisdiction.

Suit No. 61 of 1912.

Jasodabai .....Plaintiff.

v/s.

Mithibai .....Defendant.

Under instructions from B. N. Lang, Esq., the Receiver appointed by the Judge's Order dated the 3rd day of October, 1914, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction TO-MORROW THURSDAY the 19th November, 1914, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), the following valuable landed property on the premises.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Government ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house and premises standing thereon situate lying and being in the Town and Island of Bombay at Kamathipura 4th Street in the Sub-District of Bombay, assessed by the Municipality under Street No. 29-31 and "E" ward No. 1322 and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 3750 New No. 10450, and new Survey No. 6056 and the ground containing by admeasurement 44 8/9 square yards and bounded as follows:—on or towards the East by the property of Shree Goswami Maharaj, on the West by the property of Nussru Yenkuti, on or towards the North by the Kamathipura 4th Street and on the South by the Sweeper's passage.

For further particulars and printed

AUCTION SALE-

CRAWFORD & Co.—*(Contd.)*

copies of conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Mulji and Thakoredas, attorneys for the said Receiver at their Office in Church Gate Street, Fort, or to the Undersigned.

BONA FIDE SALE.

AUCTION SALE OF 259 KHANDIS FIREWOOD (FUEL) AND 1,674 PIECES OF TIMBER.

High Court.

O. O. C. J.

Suit No. 496 of 1914.

Under instruction from R. D. Sethna, Esq., the Receiver appointed in the above suit and pursuant to the order herein made on the 9th day of November, 1914, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction on SATURDAY the 21st day of November, 1914, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), at their Rooms, No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort, the following Timber pieces and firewood (fuel).

PARTICULARS.

259 khandis of fuel, in the Jamboshi village, Petha Naguthana, Taluka Pen Zilla Colaba.

592 Timber pieces in the same village.

110 Timber pieces in the Kurnad village, Petha Naguthana Taluka Pen Zilla Colaba.

972 Timber pieces lying at the Nigda Bunder, Petha Naguthana, Taluka Pen Zilla Colaba.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Captain and Vaidya, attorneys for the said Receiver at their office at old Agra Bank Buildings, 121, Esplanade Road, Fort or to the Undersigned.

CRAWFORD & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 18th November, 1914.

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GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY COLABA,
Bombay 16th November 1914.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m. 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	29.821 Inches.
Temperature of Air	82.0degrees.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	74.1 "
Dew Point	70.3 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.691 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy-10)	1.4
Maximum temperature of Air	89.0 "
Minimum do.	75.4 "
General direction of wind from midnight to midnight	NW,NNW,NE.
Movement of Wind from midnight to midnight	168 M

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock sill.

Day of week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER: Bombay Mean Time.	Depth on Sill	LOW WATER: Day of Month.	Bombay Mean Time	Depth on Sill
	Nov	h. m.	ft. in.	Nov	h. m.	ft. in.
Tu.	17	1 23	27 11	17	4 24	18 3
		11 23a	30 5		4 26a	18 0
W.	18	m 11 11	28 0	18	m 5 14	18 2
					5 9a	18 2
Th.	19	m 0	30 8	19	m 6 3	18 3
		1 58	27 9		5 53a	18 6
F.	20	m 0 54	30 7	20	m 6 58	18 6
		0 45a	27 2		6 33a	14 3
S.	21	m 1 40	30 11	21	m 7 45	18 11
		1 33a	26 4		7 24a	15 6
Sun.	22	2 28	29 1	22	m 8 44	19 4
		2 25a	25 5		8 13a	17 0
M.	23	m 3 20	28 0	23	m 9 58a	19 8
		3 27a	24 6		9 3a	18 7

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Nov.	Sunrise	Sunset
" 1 (Tuesday)	" 6h. 47m.	" 6h. 1m.
" 1 (Wednesday)	" 6h. 48m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 19 (Thursday)	" 6h. 48m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 20 (Friday)	" 6h. 49m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 21 (Saturday)	" 6h. 49m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 22 (Sunday)	" 6h. 50m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 23 (Monday)	" 6h. 50m.	" 6h. 0m.

Phases of the Moon:—Perigee, Nov. 17th, 9-4h, a.m.; New Moon 17th, 9h, 31-9m, p.m.; First Quarter, 24th, 7h, 7-7m, p.m.; Full Moon, Dec. 2nd, 11h, 50 6-2m, p.m.; Apogee, 27th, 6-2h, p.m.; Last Quarter, 10m, 5h, 1-7m

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ALL INDIA WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Nov. 17.

The unsettled conditions over northeast India have resulted in light rain. The largest falls are:—Half an inch at Bareilly, Meerut and Mukteswar, while lighter falls occurred locally in the Punjab and Rajputana. The weather is disturbed over South Bay.

Forecast—Extention eastwards of the area of rainfall in northern India.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Tuesday, the 17th November, 1914, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Rainfall has been local in the north and the east Punjab; Rawalpindi has had 0.18" and Delhi 0' 33". Skies are clear at Multan and moderately to heavily clouded elsewhere. The air is damper than usual. Night temperature is in excess.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is in excess.

Sind and Rajputana.—Fairly generaly rain has fallen in east Rajputana; Jaipur has had 0.10" and Ajmer 0.15". Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature has fallen and is in defect in upper Sind and the northern half of Rajputana; night temperature is in excess in Sind.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are clear or very lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is in excess in Central India West, south Gujarat and the eastern half of Kathiawar.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in defect. Temperature is in excess except in the south-eastern districts.

The Konkan.—Skies are lightly clouded. Night temperature is in slight excess in the south Konkan.

The Bombay ...Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Night temperature has risen and is in excess nearly everywhere.

General Remarks.—The disturbance in north-west India has given fairly general rain in east Rajputana and local rain in the north and east Punjab; it is, however, less pronounced to-day. Local rain has fallen also in south Malabar.

A few showers may occur in the north and the east Punjab and the extreme south of the Peninsula.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN at 8 a. m. on TUESDAY, the 17th of November, 1914.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Rainfall. Total 1st Nov. to date.	Rainfall. Variation 1st Nov. to date
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	88.2	70.2	66	..	?	?
Jask				..		
Muskat	85.1	76.9	64	..	1.74	1.57
Do. (16th)						
PUNJAB—						
Multan	96.0	58.8	77	..	0.06	0.08
Rawalpindi	78.4	49.0	94	0.18	1.39	1.25
Lahore	87.6	56.0	85	..	0.37	0.86
Amritsar	81.0	50.2	74	..	0.00	
Hissar	81.9	57.1	81	..	0.13	—0.12
Ambala	81.0	61.0	92	0.33	0.33	0.29
Delhi						
UNITED PROVINCES—	82.7	58.6	77	..	0.00	—0.08
Agra	85.6	62.4	86	0.04	0.04	—0.07
Mainpur	80.0	62.5	49	..	0.00	—0.05
Jhansi	84.4	64.1	82	..	0.00	—0.29
Cawnpore	85.2	59.7	65	..	0.00	—0.19
Allahabad						
SIND AND RAJPUTANA	77.7	58.6	73	0.01	0.41	0.41
Jacobad	86.9	71.0	55	..	0.01	—0.04
Karachi	78.6	65.2	85	0.15	0.49	0.47
Ajmer	79.2	54.2	66	0.10	0.11	—0.02
Jaipore	83.6	61.2	47	0.03	0.33	0.26
Kotah						
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	86.6	76.2	55	..	0.00	—0.09
Dwarka	84.3	69.8	77	..	0.00	—0.04
Veraval	90.2	84.8	74	..	0.21	0.06
Rajkot	90.8	67.8	69	..	0	0.08
Bhavnagar Para	91.6	67.3	73	..	0.70	0.64
Surat	91.6	66.9	58	..	0.00	0.02
Ahmedabad	93.9	60.0	49	..	0.05	0.00
Deesa	87.1	58.2	67	..	0.00	—0.01
Neemach	87.6	59.2	70	0.03	0.85	0.72
Indore						
CENTRAL PROVINCES—	85.8	56.5	56	..	0	—0.27
Jubbulpore	88.2	61.8	58	..	0	—0.19
Saugor	84.7	63.6	65	..	1.31	1.05
Hoshangabad	92.3	62.0	70	..	0	—0.38
Khandwa	91.2	63.2	47	..	0	—0.31
Akola	88.8	63.6	49	..	0.01	—0.33
Amraoti	88.4	59.6	59	..	0.08	—0.49
Nagpur	86.2	59.0	74	..	0	—0.54
Chanda	86.	7 59.2	54	..	0	—0.31
Raipur						
KONKAN—			76	..	0.18	—0.17
Bombay	89.0	76.6		..	0.01	—0.36
Ratnagiri	88.2	72.0	65	..	0.43	—0.47
Mormugao	87.2	75.9	90	..	8.65	1.09
Karwar	88 9	72.2	95	..		
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	89.6	64.4	65	..	1.78	1.
Ahmednagar	86.0	60.4	51	..	1.68	1.21
Poona	90.0	63.9	62	..	0.55	—0.16
Sholapur	86.0	63.1	59	..	1.80	1.11
Bijapur	85.3	64.7	68	..	2.33	1.54
Belgaum	83.3	62.8	58	..	1.18	—0.25
Aurangabad	86.2	66.3	49	..	0.66	0.80
Nizamabad (Indor)	86.6	62.7	66	..	0.04	—0.41
Hyderabad	84.3	65.2	75	..	..	—0.81
MALABAR AND CEYLON—						
Mangalore	87.5	74.9	79	..	2.01	—0.36
Calicut	82.3	75.5	89	0.02	2.24	—1.36
Cochin	88.5	72.7	92	0.34	4.87	—0.33
Colombo	86.7	73.4	87	0.18	3.34	—0.72
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	86.8	69.2	76	..	0.66	—3.51
Bellary	92.0	66.8	68	..	2.11	0.66
Cuddapah	88.6	67.8	78	..	2.49	0.56
Madras	88.9	71.6	83	..	11.28	3.49
Bangalore	82.3	60.8	80	..	1.22	—1.04
Coimbatore	87.8	71.3	64	0.10	0.56	—1.07
Trichinopoly	89.6	72.2	71	..	1.78	—1.11
Negapatam	88.5	75.4	84	..	3.12	—5.82

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument, ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer at the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time on the 17th November 1914, was 30.060 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometers of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by 0.18 inch. for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature or correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 F. all aneroid reading should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the steam at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by 0.10 inch. for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given above.

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Nov. 17.

S. S. Firenze:—The Italian S. N. Co.'s steamer Firenze, 2,323 tons, Capt. Gellerio, sailed on 16th instant, for Genoa, etc., with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Kirinellaru:—The Japan Line steamer Kirine Maru, 2,356 tons, Captain B Tsada, sailed yesterday for Kobe, etc., with a general cargo.

S. S. Malta:—The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Malta, 3,887 tons, Captain G. W. Cookman, will sail to-day for China, etc., with mails, a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Rinaldo:—The Wilson Line steamer Rinaldo, 2,792 tons, Captain W. E. Jordan, arrived here on the 15th instant from Hull, with a general cargo.

S. S. Rahmani:—The B. and P. S. N. Co.'s steamer Rahmani, 1,872 tons, Captain F. J. Cusack, arrived here on the 15th instant from Bushire, with a general cargo.

S. S. Waddon:—The steamer Waddon, 2,561 tons, Captain J. A. Peterson, sailed on the 16th instant for New York, with a general cargo.

EXPORTS.

FOR LONDON.

Lindenfels (s) 150 cwts. cow horns, E. Mahomed; 3,000 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers; 2,800 cwts. rapeseed, Sanday and Co.; 6,440 cwts. mowraseed, 6,000 cwts. cottonseed, Ralli Brothers; 956 bales hemp, K. Visram and Co.

Kaiser-i-Hind (s) 4,000 cwts. linseed, Sanday and Co.; 2,000 cwts. linseed, B. S. Lloyd and Co.; 1,584 cwts. massoor, 5,100 cwts. linseed, 1,900 cwts. mowraseed, Ralli Brothers; 148 casks goat skins, Nizamuddin and Co.; 201 cwts. gum arabic, S. Cooverji and Co.

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Kaiser-i-Hind (s) 301 cwts. gum arabic and kadaya, S. Cooverji and Co.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Scindia (s) 645 cwts. linseed cakes, S. Pestonji and Co.; 4,120 cwts. linseed oil cakes, 380 cwts. mixed oil cakes, The New Mofussil Co.; 19,000 cwts. myrabolums, P. Mathooradas and Co.; 27 bales wool, The Bombay Co.; 16 bales wool, F. F. Campbell and Co.; 2,240 cwts. linseed cake, Breul and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Scindia (s) 2,000 cwts. castorseed, 3,001 cwts. gingilly seed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 1,882 cwts. coffee, 50 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.

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S. S. Rinaldo from Hull, Agents James Finlay and Co.—245 cases red ochre, 600 drums disinfectant fluid, 131 drums 132 drums 472 kegs 6 casks paint and colour, 255 drums turpentine, 10 drums black varnish, 102 bales 35 rolls paper, 1,291 drums linseed oil, 16 cases soap, 284 tons coal, 8 cases cotton goods, 16 packages cotton rope.

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WORLD PRESIDENT VISITS INDI

Pastor Arthur G. Daniels of Washing U. S. A., accompanied by Mrs. Daniels left San Francisco on June, 3. for a two years visit around the world in the interest of World-Wide Missions. On this tour he will visit Australia, New Zealand, Japan Korea, China, and India, attending general meetings and giving council. The general meeting for the India Union is to be held in Calcutta in December.

His party arrived in Colombo last week and was met by Prof. H. R. Salisbury Superintendent of the India Union Mission of Seventh Day Adventists. After a brief survey of the South India field, and after calling at some of their principal Mission stations he will arrive in Bombay on Friday next, where he will spend a few days and also visit the S. D. A. Mission stations of West India.

Pastor Daniels spent his early ministry in Australia and New Zealand, and was chosen President of the Australian Union Field which place he held until he was chosen President of the General Conference of the World in 1902. He is not only a very forceful speaker, but has been a prolific writer and lecturer.

Pastor Daniels will speak twice at the Hall, which is their place of public worship in the city, as follows:—

Saturday, Nov. 21, 6.30 p. m.—"A World Movement, its Progress among the nations."

Sunday, Nov. 22, 6-30 p. m.—"The European Crisis in the Light of Prophecy."

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London, Nov. 16th.

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Discount Bank Bills 3 m-st	2⅞
Discount Indian Bank Bills 4 m-st	3 15/16
Fine Trade Bills 3 months	5¼
" " " " 6 "	5¼
Interest day to day loans	1 1/8
" 7 day market loans	1 7/8

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 16th.

Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	10,000
" Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	500
" Imports	4,788
Mid. Americans	4.56 unchd.
Egyptian F. G. F.	7.15 unc gd.
New York 11 a m.	
(As known in Liverpool at closing time)	
December	7.33
New York Official noon call December.	7.30

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool Nov. 16th

Months.	To-day's price.
May-June	4.27 plus 2
June-July	Nominal
July-Aug.	4 34
Aug.-Sep.	Nominal
Sep.-Oct.	"
Oct.-Nov.	4 45
Nov.-Dec.	Nominal
Dec.-Jan.	"
Jan.-Feb.	4.50

MISCELLANEOUS MARKET REPORTS.

London, Nov. 16th.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492lbs. C. I. F. unchanged 49-6

Wheat Afloat for United Kingdom .. 1,970,000

WHEAT SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe—480 lbs. 45

Barletta Russo—62½ lb. 45/3

AUSTRALIAN.

South Australian 4 8-6

SEEDS.

Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship .. 48/9

LINSEED.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata) 45/3

COTTONSEED.

Bombay Cottonseed (sound delivered per ton) 6/12/6

Bombay Ports .. .. Hul.

METALS.

Standard Copper G. M. B. 52⅝

Copper Braziers 70

Yellow Metal 6¾

Iron corrugated sheets 24 gauge 4 % F. O. B. Liverpool 11 7/8

Pig Iron No 1 Gartsherrie 68

FREIGHT.

Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal .. 15-6

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta afloat 22-6

Mauritius Crystals Spot 26

RUBBER.

Para Rubber 2-6

Ceylon Rubber 2-2¾

Flat owing to an Embargo on shipments to New York.

BOMBAY MARKET.

Bombay, 17th November.

IMPORTS OF TREASURE.

Packages.	*Rs.*	*From*	*Importer*
3 bars silver	4,500	London	Eastern Bk.
13 packages sovs and rupees	4,500 / 24,000	Bahrein	National Bk.

MONEY.

The cash balance of the Bank of Madras is 6 lakhs down and the Bank rate is unchanged at 6 per cent.

EXCHANGE.

The Market is quiet with very little doing and rates are unchanged.

We quote:—

Quotations —

BANK'S SELLING—	s.	d.
T. T. ready	1	3 13/16
D D mail	1	3¾
T. T. forward. Dec.	1	3 27/32
BANK BUYING—		
Private D D. ready	1	3 15/16
Credits mails ready	1	4⅜
30 1/s Japan Nov.	1	16¾

BULLION.

Spot Bar Silver in London is quoted 22 5/8, which is ⅛d. up as compared with Reuter's last quotation of the 13th inst. There has been another fairly sharp advance in the Local Market, and ready bars are now quoted 71—6. Bar gold is also steadier.

We quote :—

	Rs.	a	p.
English bar gold	25	12	0
Ready Bar silver (sum duty)	71	6	0

Exports of Bar Silver from Bombay by rail on 14th and 15th Nov. 1914.

	Bars	Ounces
B. B. & C. I. Railway	31	35,300
G. I. P. Railway	60	69,974

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

A few transactions in Government Paper were reported at Rs. 91 (new pieces).

SHARES.

There was a good inquiry for the Tata Iron and Steel Ordinary and Deferred shares today and as a result Ordinary advanced to Rs. 81 and Deferred to Rs. 144.

Bombay Electric Tram Ordinary shares changed hands at Rs. 191 and Preference at Rs. 167; Central Provinces Ry. shares were placed at Rs. 107 and Tapti Valley Ry. shares at Rs. 5-5-0.

Bank of India shares were in demand at Rs. 47.

Bombay Steam Navigation Preference were quoted at Rs 250 c. d.

COTTON.

The Liverpool Market opened for unrestricted trading at 4.25 for May June and closed two points higher at 4.27. July August closed at 4.34, October November at 4.45 and January February 1916 at 4.50. For intermediate deliveries there was apparently no trading and prices were nominal. The Market for the opening day was steady.

In New York the rate for December at 11 a.m. was 7.33, and at noon 7.30. Up to the time of writing the closing rate for December and the quotations for other deliveries in New York and New Orleans have not come to hand.

Locally the Market opened quiet at Rs. 178 for good Broach, Rs. 119 for fully good Bengal and Rs. 154 for fine Khamgaon Akola. Early in the day Broach was done at Rs. 177½, but the rate soon advanced to Rs. 179½, with other quotations Rs. 2 higher. A small business has been done and the Market closes quiet but steady as under.

For ready cotton there has been only a limited demand and prices are easier.

Quotations:—

Good Broach	Rs. 179	Mar.
Fine Hinganghat Wurdha	Rs. 174	Jan.
Fine Nagpur	Rs. 170	"
Fine Yeotmal	Rs. 167	"
Fine Dhamangaon Pulgaon	Rs. 162	"
Fine Amraoti	Rs. 157	"
Fine Khamgaon Akola	Rs. 154	"
Fine Khandeish	Rs. 143	"
F. G. Khandeish	Rs. 133	"
Fine Bengal	Rs. 126	"
Fine Bengal	Rs 128	Dec.
Fine Bengal	Rs. 131	Nov.
F. G. Bengal	Rs. 120	Jan.

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

Wheat:—Tone quiet but steady.

We quote:—

Ready White Karachi	Rs. 7-5-0	R.T.
White Pissi April May	Rs. 6-3-0	R.T.

Linseed:—Tone steady.

We quote:—

Ready	Rs. 7-0-0	B.T.

Rapseed:—Tone quiet but steady.

We quote:—

Ready Brown Cawnpore	Rs. 6-12-0	B.T.
Ready Yellow Guzerat	Rs. 8-8-0	B.T.

Poppyseed:—Tone steadier.

We quote:—

Ready	Rs. 8-0-0	B.T.

Castorseed:—Tone quiet.

Ready	Rs. 6-0-0	R.T.

Tilseed:—Tone quiet.

We quote:—

Bold White 85 per cent. D. J.	Rs. 39-0-0	
White Khandeish Ready	Rs. 41-0-0	

Cottonseed:—Tone quiet.

We quote:—

Ready	Rs. 3-0-0	R.T.

RECEIPTS.

The following are the Receipts of Cotton produce and principal Food Grains into Bombay for the 48 hours ending at 8 p.m. yesterday

Cotton	954	Bales
Wheat	9 824	Cwts
Linseed	899	"
Rape Seed	410	"
Jingelyseed	1,201	"
Poppyseed	Nil.	"
Groundnut	513	"
Castorseed	1,259	"
Rice	5 359	"
Myrabolams	3,271	"
Cottonseed	2,994	"
Mowraseed	Nil.	"
Gram	6 253	"
Jowar	5,044	"
Maize	196	"
Barley	486	"

CAUS LIST.

BOARD FOR WEDNESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 1914.

Before the Hon'ble Sir Dinshaw D. Davar. For making a dividend.

Re Saburbhai Ramji Khoja traded as S. Ramji and Co., Chugon Gunpat Sha traded as Hiralal Chugon; Krishna Ramji Doodey; Burjorji Nanabhai Tabelwala; Cowasji Sorabji Daruwala and anr.; Sumar Bega (alias Soomar Begmahomed): Babul Shankar Chauhand; Shaik Abdulla Khudabux Rustomji Cowasji Patel; Mangaldas Motiram Lalkasan and anr., traded as G. M. Lalkasan and Co. Sorabji Hormusji Jamsetji Rustomji; Byramji Hormasji Jamsetji Rustomji Jamasji Shapurji Lala; Harbhagwandas Chandanmul and ors. traded as Chandanmul Pokardas: Nensy Malsy Sha and anr. traded as Nensi Malsi and Co., Nensy Malsy Sha and anr. traded as Nensi Malsi and Co. (Rice a/c): Putlibai, widow of the late Jethalal Beghani; Haji Jan Mahomed Haji Mahomed: Pirojshaw Dadabhai Lam and anr. traded as D. B. Lam and Co., and Murji Bhanji.

Applications for discharge under Sec. 38.

661-12. Nuserwanji Rustomji Dubash v. Narbheram Dalabhai Ved, Manecktal & T. This Insolvence discharge was suspended on the 6th August 1914, for 3 months.

For hearing of Notice under Sec. 104.

215-12. M. B. Chothia, Karim Gani Memon v. The Official Assignee, Payne and Co.

Application for discharge under Sec. 38.

215-12. M. B. Chothia, Karim Gani Memon v. Walji Edji, a firm Crs. Nos. 6, Payne and Co.

536-12. Simon Peter Nettoo v. Nowla Doonga and Co., Crs. No. 3 Dubash and Co.

455-13. Akbarali Abdulhusein Dawoodi Bora v. Girdhardas Corji and ors. Crs. No. 2, Balkrishna and M.

668-13. Rustomji and Co., Tyeballi Esmailji Hasanbhai, v. The Indian Specie Bank Ltd., (now in Liquidation) Crs. No. 1, c. Little and Co.

286-14. Ramu H & Co., Cooverji Nowroji Gamadia, v. Merwanji Pestonji Cooper Cr. No. 2, Pestonji R. K. and Co.

Bejraj Tahilram Cr. No. 193, Payne and Co.

Lakhimichand Ramchand Cr. No. Pestonji R. K. and Co.

457-13. Motilal Ramchander Bajaj and Ghanshamdas Motilal Bajaj v. Merwanji Pestonji Hakimji Cr. No. 1, Bansidhar Gangaprasad Cr. No. 4, Purnanand and Co.

ARMS ACT PROSECUTION AT BENARES

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 16.

Mr. C. F. Wood, Joint Magistrate of Benares, has delivered judgment in the case in which Surendranath Mukerjee, a student, aged fifteen, was charged with possessing an unlicensed revolver at Mogul Serai Station on the 27th September. The prosecution alleged that the accused was found at a railway station wheeling a bicycle with one hand and with a revolver in the other, when Sergeant Duggan, of Railway Police, who chased the accused, was threatened. The Magistrate convicted the accused under section 19 F of the Arms Act but considering the accused's youth and revolver being rusty and out of order, sentenced the accused to a fine of Rs. 100.

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HIGH COURT.

ORIGINAL SIDE.

CALL ON SHARES.

(*Before Mr. Justice Davar.*)

THE INDIAN AND PENINSULAR STEAM NAVAGATION CO., LTD., v. RAY YETINDRANATH CHOWDHARY.

This was a suit filed by the plaintiff company against the defendant to recover a sum of Rs. 4,000 due from him in respect of the last call of Rs. 10 per share on the 400 shares of the plaintiff company held by him.

Mr. J. H. Vakeel appeared for the plaintiffs. The defendant was absent.

The defendant applied for the purchase of 400 shares in the company, and on the 29th May, 1911, 400 shares were allotted to him. He paid Rs. 2,000 as deposit, and Rs. 4,000 for the first call of Rs. 10 per share. The first call was made on the 25th of January, 1913. A second call of Rs. 10 per share was made by the company from the shareholders; but the defendant had not paid the sum of Rs. 4,000 due on the call.

The accountant of the plaintiff company gave evidence in support of the company's claim. His Lordship passed a decree for the plaintiffs for Rs. 4,000 with interest and costs.

Solicitors for plaintiffs:—Payne and Co.

BREAKING-UP O. STEAMERS.

ABASBHOY ABDUL HOOSEIN AND OTHERS v. HAKIMJI TAJBHOY.

This was a suit filed by the plaintiffs' firm against the defendant for recovery of a sum of Rs. 19,309 from him, due in respect of a tripartite agreement between the plaintiffs, the defendant and one Mahomedally Hakimji.

Mr. Ghaswalla appeared on behalf of the plaintiffs. The defendant was absent.

In 1911 Mahomedally Hakimji bought two steamers the Africa and the Naoshera from the Peninsular Company for a sum of Rs. 1,26,000, and borrowed the amount from the plaintiff's firm. On the 16th March 1911, Manomedally Hakimji entered into a written agreement with the defendant for the breaking-up of the said two steamers on certain terms and conditions, on the defendants' paying him (i.e. Mahomedally) Rs. 1,09,000. The defendant paid several sums to Mahomedally, and on the 15th December, the defendant was indebted to Mahomedally in the sum of Rs. 79,662. On the same day Mahomedally owed to the plaintiffs an equal sum. Therefore by an agreement of 15th December, executed between the three parties, Mahomedally Hukimji assigned all his right and interest in the sum owed by the defendant, to the plaintiffs' firm. Afterwards the defendant in pursuance of that agreement paid several sums to the plaintiffs and on the date of the filing of this suit, he owed to the plaintiff's a sum of Rs. 19,309-12-0. As the defendant had by the said agreement agreed to pay the whole debt in six months' time, and as the above sum remained due to the plaintiffs, after the six months was over, the plaintiffs filed the present suit.

His Lordship passed a decree for the plaintiffs for Rs. 19,309-12-0 with interest at 9 per cent from the 19th July, 1913. Interest on judgment and costs.

Solicitors for the plaintiffs:—Surajmal and Co.

PEARL MERCHANTS' INSOLVENCY.

At the Bombay High Court, yesterday, Mr. R. B. Patel, Chief Clerk of the Insolvency Court, further recorded the evidence of Rao Bahadur Naginchand Zaverchand, partner in the firm of Sobhagchand Naginchand and Company, pearl merchants, who failed during the last financial crisis, at the public examination of the insolvents.

To questions put by Mr. Bhaishankar, the insolvent said that he would not be surprised if the total value of the parcels as entered in his books came to Rs. 76,32,000 and not forty lakhs, because they wrote the value of the pearls in the books at a premium for the purposes of sale. The value given in his solicitors' letter of 29th January, 1914, to the Official Assignee was according to the market rate on 28th October, 1912, the day on which the goods were pledged with the Bank. The total then came to about 39 or 40 lakhs. The value given for seven bags of pearls in his books was given according to the then market rate.

Witness was shown a number of entries from his books, and admitted the pearls taken away by him from the Bank as stated in these entries. He also admitted several entries relating to pearls re-delivered to the Bank.

APPELLATE SIDE.

CONVICTION SET ASIDE.

(*Before Justices Beaman and Heaton.*)

HATTESING PATIL OF PIMPRI v. THE KING-EMPEROR.

The applicant was a Police Patil of Pimpri, in Jalgaum District. He was convicted by the Second Class Magistrate of Chalisgaum, under section 379 I. P. C. of the offence of theft of forage worth Rs. 4, along with five others, and sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for three months. The applicant appealed to the District Magistrate of Jalgaum, Mr. Otto Rothfield, who confirmed the conviction, but reduced the sentence to what he had already suffered, viz., six weeks.

The defence of the accused was that the case was concocted against him by a clique of persons. Taking advantage of his absence at a *tamasha* (dance) in a neighbouring village on the night of the alleged offence, the members of this conspiracy took the forage to his shed and put it there, and started the story of the theft early next morning. Their Lordships held that they were justified under the circumstances of the case in looking into the evidence, which was quite unsatisfactory. They set aside the conviction. Mr. D. G. Dalvi appeared for the accused, and the Government Pleader represented the Crown.

ALLEGED BRANDING OF BROTHER'S WIFE

(*Before Justices Heaton and Shah.*)

KING-EMPEROR v. RAMAGANDA BINGANDAPPA.

This was a reference made by Mr. E. Clements, Sessions Judge of Belgaum under section 307 Criminal Procedure Code.

The accused was charged with culpable homicide not amounting to murder under section 304 I. P. C. His offence consisted in branding the deceased Malwa, wife of his elder brother, with a burning piece of wood. The deceased was leading an immoral life, and the accused, it was alleged, in a fit of jealousy branded her. The foreman of the jury was of opinion that he was guilty of murder, the rest of the jury found him not guilty. The Sessions Judge was of opinion that the prosecution evidence was true, and proved that the accused committed the act charged, and that making every allowance in his favour, he was clearly guilty of culpable homicide not amounting to murder. The offence was a peculiarly brutal one, and he found it necessary for the ends of justice to submit the case.

The defence was to the effect that the deceased was branded by some unknown person or persons out of jealousy; that she alone knew, who committed the act.

Their Lordships in delivering the judgment of the court said:—The verdict is not one which, we think, could not have reasonably been returned by a jury. Therefore the verdict must stand, and we direct that the accused be acquitted and discharged.

Mr. V. R. Sirur appeared for the accused. The Government Pleader represented the Crown.

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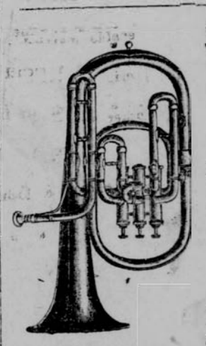

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS.

TO-DAY.

Municipal Standing Committee meeting, 4-10 p.m.

New Hall Sermon on "Eternal Issues, War or Peace," New Hall, Apollo Bunder, Opposite Watson's Annexe, 6-30 p.m.

THURSDAY, Nov. 19.

Municipal Corporation Adjourned meeting 3 p.m. (B.T.)

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre of Varieties, 6-30.

America-India Cinematograph, Charni Road, 7 to 8-15, 8-30 to 9-45, and 10 to 11-15.

Imperial Cinematograph, Charni Rd., 7 to 8-30, 8-45 to 10-15, 10-30 to 12.

Olympia Cinematograph, Sandhurst Road, 6-15 to 6-45, 7 to 8-30, 9 to 10-30, and 11 to 12-30.

Domestic Occurrence.

DEATH.

DE GA.—November 17th at her residence, "The Grove," opposite the Mazagon Post Office, Mrs. Julia Rufina de Ga, aged 67 years. Funeral will leave her residence at 5 p.m., to-day, the 18th instant, for Dharavi Cemetry. Relatives and Friends will kindly accept this the only intimation.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by Lieut.-Colonel, P. R. Cadell, Commanding.

November 18.

959. Parades.—Company Parades for the week ending November 21st:—
"B" Company, Thursday at 7 a.m., Signalling Class at 7-30 a.m., at Headquarters, Wednesday and Friday.
Recruits and Reserves.—Thursday at 7 a.m.
Khaki Shirts and Shorts and Helmets to be worn at Company parades.
"C" Company, Wednesday at 6-15 p.m.
"D" Company, Thursday, at 6 p.m., at Government Telegraphic Office.
"E" Company, Wednesday, Company parade. Fall in at Sir Richard Temple's Statue at 6 p.m., prompt. Dress.—Uniform, Drill Order with helmets.
Signallers.—Until further notice, Cyclist Signallers will parade on Thursday, and Friday at Sir Richard Temple's Statue at 7-15 a.m., prompt. Dress.—Mufti.
"F" Company, Wednesday at 6-30 p.m.
"G" Company, Thursday, at 7-30 a.m., at the Gymkhana.
Recruits.—Wednesday, at 7-30 a.m., at the Gymkhana, and Thursday at 6 p.m., at Head-quarters.
Special Reserve attached to "G" Company will parade with the Recruits of "G" Company, on the abovementioned days.
Companies to be instructed in accordance with Schedule of Training.
1. Motor Reserve parade on Thursday, at 6-30 p.m. Dress.—Mufti.
2. Semaphore Signalling Class.—Adult Companies every evening except Saturdays at 6-30 p.m.

960. Musketry.—The range at Ghat Kopar is allotted as follows:—
Thursday, 19th instant.—"F" Company Class Firing.
Friday, 20th instant.—"H" Company Recruits.
Saturday, 21st instant.—"L" Company Recruits.
Sunday, 22nd instant.—"G" Company Class Firing.
Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6-15 a.m.

904. Instruction Officers and N. C. Officers. The parades for this purpose will take place until further orders at Head-quarters on Tuesdays and Wednesdays only. Time and dress as before. Officers and N. C. Officers of all Companies should make every effort to attend.

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950. Arms.—All Arms and Accoutrements to be returned to the Armoury at once.

952. Officers, N. C. Officers and men of Bombay Volunteer Rifles are requested to forward to Head-quarters any Magazines or other publications of recent date which are no longer required in order that same may be sent to members of Corps now serving in East Africa. These will be forwarded by Adjutant to their destination.

953. Leaflets on Advance, Flank and Rear Guards are now available at Head-quarters for distribution. They should be carefully followed in carrying out the Syllabus of Training already issued.

967. Enrolment.—The undernamed having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "G" Company:—
No. 8249 Vol. W. H. E. Aspinwall.

968. Strength.—The undernamed having left the Station are struck off the strength:—
No. 5563 Vol. W. H. Spencer, "B" Coy.
No. 5853 Sergt. A. R. Easdon, No. 6990 Corpl., P. Evans.
No. 6996 Corpl. H. S. Evans, & No. 8002, Vol. A. C. Barrett, "F" Company.

969. Leave.—Leave of absence is granted to No. 8206, Vo. W. N. Vokes, "B" Company from 16th to 30th November 1914.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Captain,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Vol. Rifles.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Regimental Orders by Major J. W. Hawes, V.D. Commanding.

Nov. 17.

425. Enrolments.—The undernamed having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps from to-day's date and posted to "B" Sub-Section No. 1 Coy.:—No. 1673 Gunner A. R. Wilkinson.

426. Leave.—The undernamed has been granted leave from 15th November 1914 to 15th January 1915:—
No. 1540 Gunner J. Rafferty.

427. Parades.—Saturday 21st instant; Drill and Fort Manning Mahaluxmi; Parade outside Grant Road Station at 4-40 p.m.

423. Musketry.—Officers Commanding Companies are requested to warn as many Members as possible, who have not fired their Annual Course, to turn out on Sunday next for Class firing at Ghat Koper.

424. Issue of Arms and Accoutrements.—All members are requested to draw their Arms and Accoutrements as soon as possible.

(Sd.) R. C. D. GRAHAM, Capt., R.A.,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonnor, V.D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn., G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play the following programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh, B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6 p.m., on Wednesday, the 18th November 1914.

March.—"Europe United." .....W. Zehle.
Overture.—"Straddella" .....Flotow.
Valse.—"Un peu D'Amour." .....Lao Tilisu.
Selection.—"San Toy." .....Sidney Jones.
Song.—"I Know of Two Bright Eyes." .....G. H. Clutsam.
Selection.—"Dancing Mistress." Lionel .....Monckton.
Two Step.—"Oh you Beautiful Doll." ...Brown.

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The total number of patients treated in this Hospital during the month of October was 564 of which 32 were males, 259 females, and 273 children.

IMPROVED LANDING FACILITIES AT COAST PORTS.

The Bill of the Bombay Government for providing improved landing facilities at coast ports to the south of Bombay is now being considered by the Government of India.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

Tuesday, being the 39th Anniversary of the Foundation Day of the Theosophical Society, was celebrated jointly by the Blavatsky, Dharmalaya, and Shri Krishna Lodges at the Hall of the Blavatsky Lodge, at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.). Dr. V. S. Trilokekar, Mr, Harjiwan K. Mehta and Mr. Jehangir Sorabji delivered short speeches on "Theosophy and the Theosophical Society."

BOMBAY CHESS CLUB.

The adjourned fourth game between Dr. DaCunha and Mr. Khandlikar, was resumed yesterday evening. After the progress of the game for some time the doctor had only a castle left, while his opponent only a knight. Mr. Khandlikar thereupon claimed to be mated in 50 moves of which the doctor had, when time was declared up, made only 15. The game will be resumed this evening.

DAILY MORTALITY RETURNS.

During the 24 hours ended at 6 a.m. on Tuesday no fresh cases of either plague, small-pox or cholera were reported in Bombay City. The total number of deaths from all causes on Monday was 57, as compared with 89 of the corresponding day of 1913 and the same total in 1912. The total number of rats caught by the municipal rat-catchers on Monday was 1690, of which four were found to be plague infected. The plague-rats were caught in Dongri (1), Mandvi (2) and Kamatipura (1).

LADY'S DEATH IN A BOOKSHOP.

Mrs. DeGa, a Portuguese lady, aged about 65 years, residing at Mingle. wady, Mazagaon, went to the shop of Messrs. Taraporevala & Sons yesterday evening to purchase books. She remained in the shop about a quarter of an hour choosing different books when suddenly she complained of feeling ill and asked for water.

After taking a drink she grew worse and went off in a faint. Dr. Underwood and Dr. Powell were at once sent for to render medical aid, but on arrival they found the lady dead. They attributed the cause to heart failure. The body was removed by the police to her residence at Minglewady.

THE CLOTH MARKET STRIKE.

In connection with th strike of the employees of the Mulji Jetha and Lakhmidas Khimji Cloth Markets, Rao Bahadur C. H. Setalwad, Second Presidency Magistrate and Mr. Hansraj Pragji Thackersey had an interview with Mr. P. R. Cadell, Municipal Commissioner on Monday with a view to bring about an amicable settlement. This had a satisfactory result and the men returned to their shops after having been assured that the well would not be entirely filled up but would be allowed to exist in its present condition, with a trap-door to permit of water being drawn from it. A notice to this effect was posted at the entrance to the markets.

Yesterday being Amawasya, or the last day of the Hndu month, the market were closed.

THEFT OF SILVER BARS.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday before the Third Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector Sabajirao charged Gopal Ganesh, a Purdeshi, and Velji Dharsi, a Cutchi, with house-breaking by night and theft and abetment.

The accused broke into the shop of Amritlal Mohanlal, a dealer in gold and silver, at Sheikh Memon Street, between 8 and 9 p.m. on the 11th October, and removed two silver bars, collectively valued at Rs. 3,300. Two days after, the first accused, with the assistance of one Gopal Girdhar, was trying to dispose of the smaller of the two bars, when they were arrested. Velji absconded but was arrested the next day at Elphinstone Road. and the bigger bar was recovered.

Both the accused were convicted, and as they had several previous convictions, they were sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment each.

CENTRAL INDIA HINDI SAHITYA SAMITI.

A meeting of the promoters of the Hindi literature took place in the premises of Sirdar Rao Bahadur Kibey Sahib, an influential Jagirdar of the Indore State, on the evening of the 12th. instant. A committee, called the Central India Hindi Sahitya Samiti, was formed of the gentlemen present, its object being to give impetus to the Hindi literature, with a view to ultimately make Hindi the court language of Indore State, which properly speaking comes within the sphere of Hindi, being closely attached to the United Provinces and Rajputana. About twenty-five members were elected, and a working committee was at the same time formed for framing rules and giving encouragement to Hindi by securing additional members.

CASUALTY LISTS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

DELHI, Nov. 17.

The following are the names of officers and N. C. O's in the tenth list of casualties reported from France and Belgium:—

WOUNDED.

No. 2079 Haryam Singh; No. 2027 Sham Singh; No. 2583 Mahamad Shah, and No. 2584 Naick Shah Nawaz; 3rd Sappers.

No. 1874 Havildar Sukhte; Lance Naicks No. 1956 Patram; and No. 3082 Jairam; 6th Jat Light Infantry.

No. 211 Drum-Major Sher Singh; 41st Dogras.

Second-Lieutenant Holland, Unattached List.

MISSING.

No. 2479 Havildar Mahamed Khan; No. 2438 Naick Lalu Rajana; Lance-Naicks No. 3425 Chanel Singh and No. 3475 Pakar Singh; 3rd Sappers.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM,)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

The following casualties are announced to-day:—

KILLED.

Lieut. J. A. O. Brooke, Gordons.
Major J. B. Corry, Engineers.
Lieut. Crousaz, South Staffs.
Captain W. H. Ferrar, Welsh Regiment.
Lieut. H. V. Gerrard, Border Regt.
Lieut. A. S. Graham, Gordons.
Lieut.-Colonel C. A. C. King, Yorkshires.
Captain the Honourable D. A. Kinnaird, Scots Guards.
Lieut. Latta, Gordons.
Lieut. R. M. Macdonald, Camerons.
Captain W. A. G. Moore, Welsh Regiment.
Lieut. H. P. Nolan, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut. Pilliner, Royal Artillery.
Lieut. E. Punchard, Major Stares and Major J. Traill, Bedfords.
Captain W. J. Wickham, Scots Guards.
Lieut. J. Wordsworth, Fifth Lancers.
Major Walker, Yorkshires.
Lieut. Drummond, Scots Guards.
Lieut. O. Fraser, Gordons.
Lieut. Paterson, Bedfords.
Second-Lieut. Honourable S. Fraser, Gordons.
Second-Lieut. Gibbs, Scots Guards.
Second-Lieut. Hatton, Yorkshires.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Second-Lieut. G. W. Hodgson, Border Regiment.
Second-Lieut. Wroughton, Twelfth Lancers.

WOUNDED.

Major W. L. Alexander, Yorkshires.
Major C. C. Barnes, Royal Artillery.
Captain Bonner, South Staffs.
Captain H. H. Brooke, Connaughts.
Lieut. T. Buchanan, Medicals.
Lieut. L. Carr, Gordons.
Captain W. S. Douglas, Engineers.
Second-Lieut. L. Grouse, Royal Fusiliers.
Lieut. H. le F. Harvey, Royal Artillery.
Lieut. R. V. Horn, Scots Fusiliers.
Captain C. G. Huggins, Gordons.
Captain H. Levin, Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut. Matear, Warwicks.
Captain C. R. Mayne, Highland Light Infantry.
Second-Lieut. Misa, Second Dragoons.
Captain R. N. Phillips, Welsh Fusiliers.
Lieut. G. Phipps Hornby, Ninth Lancers.
Lieut. H. C. Ross, Scots Guards.
Lieut. L. Shore, Medicals.
Lieut. the Honourable R. Stuart, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut.-Colonel H. P. Uniacke, Gordons.
Lieut. H. N. Williamson, Royal Artillery.
Brigadier-General Ruggles-Brise.
Captain A. Whyte, Connaughts.
Lieut. Ames, Grenadiers.
Lieut. Brown, West Surreys.
Lieut. Duke, Sussex Regiment.
Lieut. H. Hewitt, Connaughts.
Lieut. Powell, Grenadiers.
Lieut. Thwaites, Fourth Dragoons.
Lieut. Witts, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieutenant Chance, Fourth Dragoons.
Second-Lieut. Clyton, Northumberlands.
Second-Lieut. Llewellyn, Suffolks.
Second-Lieut. Moore, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut. Waring, Gordons.

OFFICERS OF LONDON SCOTTISH.

Major Torrance, Major Green, Captain Henderson, Lieut. Allsop, Lieut, Blaikie, Lieut. Farquharson and Second Lieut. Anderson.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

The following casualties are announced:—

WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut. Q. Bell, Gordons.
Second-Lieut. F. Boosey, Norfolks.
Major H. Bottomley, West Surreys.
Captain A. G. Bruce, Scots Fusiliers.
Captain K. Bruce, Gordons.
Major A. C. Buckle, South Staffs.
Captain D. Burke, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.
Captain J. L. Burnett, Gordons.
Second-Lieut. W. Clutterbuck, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut.-Colonel M. Coles, West Surreys.
Lieut. W. Colley, Yorkshires.
Captain R. Coles, Suffolks.
Second-Lieut. Ferrier Kerr, Seaforths.
Captain F. Follett, Warwicks.
Lieut. Honourable W. Fraser, Gordons.
Captain A. L. Godman, Yorkshires.
Captain B. Gordon, Gordons.
Lieut. G. E. Gott, Bedfords.
Lieut. H. Huntriss, Bedfords.
Captain A. Lemon, Bedfords.
Lieut. P. Mackenzie, Gordons.
Second-Lieut. Marriage, Yorkshires.
Major J. T. Murray, Black Watch.
Lieut.-Colonel R. Ovens, South Staffs.
Second-Lieut. R. Philpot, West Surreys.
Lieut. B. Robinson, Fifth Lancers.
Captain G. Warren, Border Regiment.
Captain Weeding, West Surreys.
Captain J. Whigham, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. D. R. Wilson, West Surreys.
Captain Garnett-Botfield, Bedfords.
Captain Stansfeld, Gordons.
Lieut. Anderson, Gordons.
Lieut. Barber, Camerons.
Lieut. Thomson, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. Watson, Border Regiment.
Second-Lieutenant Gordon, Camerons.
Second-Lieut. Harrison, Scots Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut. Johnson, Border Regiment.
Second-Lieut. Proctor, Welsh Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut. Wanliss, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut. Whitton, Scots Fusiliers.

MISSING.

Captain G. N. McLean, Gordons.
Lieut. E. M. Onslow, Warwicks.
Lieut. H. W. Ozanne, Warwicks.
Captain A. J. Peok, Warwicks.
Lieut. B. Poole, Welsh Fusiliers.
Lieut. Wakefield Saunders, Rifle Corps.
Major H. E. Ward, East Kents.
Second-Lieut. E. Wodehouse, Welsh Fusiliers.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

MISSING.

Captain H. Adeane, Coldstreams.
Captain Vincent, Duke of Cornwall's.
Lieutenant Anderson, Bedfords.
Lieut. G. Partridge, Welsh Regiment.
Lieut. Winter, Medicals.
Second-Lieut. Egerton, Welsh Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut. Reynard, Welsh Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut. Richards, Sixtieth.
Second-Lieut. Schoon Sixtieth.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

Captain R. Burgoyne, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. the Honourable A. Douglas-Pennant, Grenadiers.
Second-Lieut. P. Kidd, Yorkshires.
Captain Meaden, Medicals.
Second-Lieut. R. Middleditch, Yorkshires.
Captain Rennie, Grenadiers.
Captain A. M. Rose, Medicals.
Lieut. Ross Thomson, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut.-Colonel A. G. B. Smith, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. D. G. Thomson, Bedfords.
Lieut. P. Van Neck, Grenadiers.
Second-Lieut. W. Worsley, Yorkshires.
Lieut.-Colonel M. Earle, Grenadiers.

MISSING.

Lieut. C. B. Adams, South Staffs.
Captain E. E. Barrow, Duke of Cornwall's.
Second-Lieut. J. L. Bowen, Scots Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut. E. Boyle, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. I. Brown, Warwicks.
Lieut.-Colonel H. O. Cadogan, Welsh Fusiliers.
Captain E. Christie-Miller, Coldstreams.
Major G. Craufurd, Gordons.
Lieut. A. Dooner, Welsh Fusiliers.
Lieut. E. Edye, Duke of Cornwall's.
Captain P. J. Foster, Warwicks.
Lieut. W. A. Foster, South Staffs.
Lieut. G. V. Gough, Rifle Corps.
Lieut. Hindson, Welsh Fusiliers.
Captain A. Le Gallais, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. J. M. Lucas, Warwicks.
Second-Lieut. S. Lucas, York and Lancasters.
Captain E. Lyddon, Bedfords.
Captain Lynes, Rifle Corps.
Major A. C. MacGregor, Scots Fusiliers.
Lieut. D. W. Mackenzie, Seaforths.

KILLED.

The following casualties are announced:—
Lieut Armstrong-Lushington-Tulloch, Connaught Rangers.
Lieut L. Coke, Irish Guards.
Second Lieut L. Croft, Sussex.
Major R. M. Gardner, Gloucesters.
Lieut F. George Connaughts.
Capt. G. M. James, East Kents.
Lieut E. Lousada, Sussex.
Lieut C. G. G. Mackenzie, Royal Scots.
Capt. Macleod, First battalion Gloucesters.
Lieut Mathieson, Irish Guards.
Capt. A. Mulholland, Irish Guards.
Captain N. Neill, 13th Hussars.
Lieut J. Ovens, Connaughts.
Lieut Spencer, Wiltshires.
Lieut Wyndham, Life Guards.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieut Richardson, Medicals.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The following casualties are announced:—

WOUNDED.

Captain I. Bonham Carter, Northumberlands (Flying Corps).
Lieut W. E. Duncan, and Lieut G. W. Lindsay, Field Artillery.
Lieut C. Montanaro, R.A.
Lieut the Master of Kinloss, Rifle Brigade.
Second-Lieut J. Moriarty, Garrison Artillery.
Lieut H. Salmon, South Wales Borderers.
Capt. P. Skene, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut D. Trouton, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieutenant Davies, Sixteenth Lancers.
Second-Lieut McClure, Northants.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

Second-Lieut J. J. Cocks, Welsh Regt.
Lieut F. Crossley Ninth Lancers.
Second-Lieut Fotherstonhaugh, Royal Fusiliers.

MISSING.

Capt. A. G. Tillard, Manchesters, *not* Capt. A. K. Tillard, Manchesters.

UNOFFICIALLY REPORTED WOUNDED AND PRISONERS.

Second-Lieut J. A. Bevan, Lancasters.
Capt. H. Master, West Surreys.
Capt. J. Smyth-Osbourne, Welsh Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut C. E. Wallis, Loyal North Lancs.

PRISONERS.

Second-Lieut J. L. Bowen, Royal Scots.
Captain H. F. Coddington, Wiltshires.
Lieut R. E. Hindson, Welsh Fusiliers.
Lieut D. Barchard, Welsh Fusiliers.
Capt. R. Dolbey, Medicals.
Capt. Jonsson, Irish Rifles.
Lieut J. F. J. Watson, Gordons.

CRACK G. R. KILLED IN THE WAR.

In the melancholy lists of officers killed in the war we often find names which are familiar in India. One such appeared in the list published yesterday, Captain O'Brien Butler being reported to have died of his wounds. Captain O'Brien Butler was in the Royal Army Medical Corps, and was for sometime stationed at Kirkee. He was very well known to racegoers as one of the crack gentlemen riders in India, and had suuccess in Poona, Bombay and Tollygunge. He went Home early this year, and before the war distinguished himself at the military meetings at Sandown Park, and at other jump-meetings. Captain O'Brien Butler was one of the few gentleman-jockeys in this country who adopted the American crouching seat when riding in flat races. The news of his death will cause great regret both in Poona and Bombay, for he was a very popular member of society.

TWO BOMBAY OFFICERS.

Their many friends will be concerned to hear that Lieutenant E. M. Onslow and Lieutenant Knight Bruce, both of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, who were recently stationed at Colaba, Bombay, are mentioned in to-day's casualties list.

Lieutenant Onslow will be remembered as the popular captain of the Bombay Gymkhana Soccer team who played so conspicuously as centre forward for the Gymkhana when they took part in the Rovers' Tournaments. He was a popular member of Bombay society whilst his colleague, Lieut Knight Bruce of the same regiment, was a popular follower of the Bombay Gymkhana Mud Sports. Both also took a keen interest in the Aga Khan Hockey Tournaments.

Lieutenant Onslow is reported as missing while his comrade has been wounded and taken a prisoner.

FRONTIER RAIDS,

TWO HINDUS KILLED AND TWO OTHERS KIDNAPPED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Nov. 17.

The "Tribune" reports a serious raid by the Mahsuds on the 12th November evening at Gul Imam near Tank, Dera Ismail Khan District. The raiders who were strong in number looted five or six houses when the villagers boldly faced them. Two Hindus were killed in the encounter and two others were taken away by the raiders. Some of the raiders were also wounded.

LATER.

The "Tribune" reports two other raids which occurred on the 12th instant at the villages of Kaki Bharat and Jesamal in Bannu district. In both cases the villagers bravely withstood the attack. In the latter village the inhabitants used firearms which terrified the raiders who decamped, it is said, leaving a gun behind.

In both cases there was no loss of life and property.

HOSPITAL SHIP MADRAS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Nov. 17.

The Hospital Ship, Madras, which was announced to leave the harbour at 8 o'clock this mirning, did not sail till some three hours later.

At 9-30 a.m. the Governor and Lady Pentland motored down to Springhaven, when his Excellency proceeded on board by a motor launch while her Excellency walked down the southern arm of the harbour and took snapshots of the Madras before joining his Excellency on board. Their Excellencies bade farewell of Colonel Gifford and staff and the Madras then steamed out of the harbour on her maiden voyage as the Hospital Ship.

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION,

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

SIR,—I shall be much obliged by your kindly giving publicity to the following few lines in your esteemed daily.

It is a long standing practice of the Bombay University to publish in the Government Gazette the names of the examiners appointed for the Matriculation examination. But this year a slight change seems to have taken place in the above procedure. This year the examiners were not declared in the Government Gazette and it was naturally supposed that they were to remain as a secret; but this presumption was wrong and it is now an open secret.

After looking to the question papers of different centres, one is surprised to see the names of the examiners printed on the papers set at Bombay and the same omitted from those of the other centres. It is difficult to understand why a special favour in giving out the names of examiners has been shown to the Bombay candidates and the same denied to the students who appeared at the other centres. They have also paid the same amount of fees and have every right to learn the names of the examiners if the Bombay candidates are allowed to indulge in this privilege.

Will the University authorities be kind enough to solve this mystery?—Yours, etc.,

FAIR PLAY.

"THE DIGAMBAR JAIN.

The conductors of this well-known Jain periodical published at Surat have brought out, as a New Year gift to its readers, a profusely illustrated "Vir Nirvana" number of the "Digambar Jain." Contributions both poetic and prose, appear in this publication in no less than seven languages,—English, Marathi Gujrathi, Hindi Sanscrit, Prakrit and Urdu, which are all in use among the Jains in the different provinces of India. A special feature of the year's number is the large number of photos of Jain institutions. Some photographs of royalties and military and naval leaders of the belligerent parties in the present war also figure in the number.

A COLONEL'S MISHAP.

Colonel Boudier, attached to the 17th Cavalry, while riding along Haines Road on Monday evening was thrown from his horse and was kicked by the animal, fracturing his left ankle. It appears the animal, troubled by flies, became restive. The Colonel was detained in St. George's Hospital for treatment.

Nineteen German and Austrian subjects of combatant ages from all over Burma have left Rangoon under the guard of British troops for Ahmednagar.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT A FIRE.

TINDAL KILLED BY BREAKING OF A LADDER.

A sad accident in which one Fire Brigade tindal was killed and another injured by the breaking of a fire-escape ladder, occurred at a small fire at the Kohinoor Mill, Naigaum Cross Road, late on Monday night. The fire was caused by a quantity of burning cotton fluff being blown up the chimney, and was discovered at 11 o'clock at night. Engines from several fire stations arrived, and as the hose could not effectively play on the fire from the ground, the Mandvi motor fire escape was sent for. When it arrived two tindals named Bapu Gungaji and Bhima Luxmon went up the ladder, and had been working the hose for about ten minutes when the ladder broke. Both tindals were thrown off and Bapu fell to the ground, while the other man was caught in a mango tree, and hung there until rescued by the lascars. Bapu died on the way to hospital, but Bhima is doing well.

At the inquest on the body of Bapu held yesterday Mr. Robert Thompson, Foreman, Byculla Fire Brigade, said the fire was in the airshaft which was about eighty feet high. Owing to his escape being too short, witness sent for the one from Mandvi. On its arrival, witness ordered it to be erected in order to get a line of hose to work. The tindal went to the top of the ladder. After he had worked for about ten minutes, the fire was out. Witness then went to see if there was a fire anywhere else when he heard a crack and ran back. It was then reported to the witness that the ladder had broken. Witness went to the broken pile of ladder and found the deceased on the ground injured, but conscious. Witness telephoned for the doctor. Dr. Wadia arrived and ordered the man to be taken to hospital. He died on his way, however.

The ladder was tested about a fortnight ago. Witness believed, the height to which the ladder was extended was about seventy-two feet. The full extension of the ladder was eighty-two feet, six inches, but it would not be safe to work it at that length unless it was leaning against a wall. It would, however, be safe to work it up to seventy-five feet. There were guide ropes to steady the ladder. The ladder was three years old.

Sheikh Ismail Sheikh Ibrahim, motor driver of the ladder, said Mr. Thompson gave orders to raise the ladder. It could be raised to a height of eighty feet.

Mr. T. H. Greenop, Chief of the Fire Brigade, said in his opinion the ladder was worked to too great a height. It must not be extended to a greater height than 60 feet as a water tower. He thought it was raised to about 72 or 73 feet. When it was increased in height, the inclination should have been reduced. If witness had been there he should not have raised the ladder to this height as a water tower. With the ordinary pressure they could get a jet 100 feet high. With the ladder at 60 feet they could easily have reached the fire. Ultimately they finished putting the fire out from inside. It could have been done this way to start with.

The jury returned a verdict that the death of the deceased was caused by injuries received owing to the accidental breaking of a fire escape.

INADEQUATE STATISTICS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—You have done a service to the commercial community by your article on "Inadequate Statistics." To those who have to deal with statistics (unfortunately the number of these is not large) it would appear as if these blue books were intended merely to decorate the shelves of public libraries and never to disclose Sphinx-like their secrets.

One great difficulty in the way of a student of statistics is that the unit, whether of value or weight, is not the same in different blue books published by the Government, diminishing thus, to a great extent, their utility for purposes of reference and comparison. Thus, to take one instance, tobacco is given in lbs., in the Annual Statement of the Trade and Navigation of the Presidency of Bombay and also in the "Annual Statement of the Seaborne Trade and Navigation of British India." But while its value is given in terms of rupees in the former volume, it is given in terms of pounds sterling in the latter. Not only this but it is given in maunds in the Rail and River-borne trade of the Bombay Presidency and in hundredweights in the Rail and River-borne trade of India. This is but one instance out of many. It passes the understanding of a layman why there should be all this mystifying discrepancy unless it is intended to test his knowledge of weights and measures. It appears that the British Government has joined the movement for having an international common nomenclature for statistics. This Conference called by the Belgian Government met first in September 1910, and published a common nomenclature, since approved by 22 States (of which Great Britain is one) and finished its work in 1913. If the British Government has joined such a movement for the internationalisation of statistics, the Government of India may well begin at least nationalising their statistics and having units of value and weights the same for all the blue books published by them.—Yours, ec.

COMMERCE.

DISHONEST GOLDSMITH.

At the Mazagon Police Court, on Tuesday, before the Second Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector D. V. Raje charged a goldsmith named Pandu Raghu with criminal breach of trust in respect of two gold-pieces, valued at Rs. 9. Mr. D'Cunha defended the accused.

The accused was entrusted by Ramgir Tukangir with a piece of gold to be made into a ring and he extracted two pieces and kept them. He was sentenced to a day's simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 100, in default, six weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Wednesday, November 18, 1914.

THE COTTON SITUATION.

Following on our comments yesterday on the cotton situation the announcement came that there will assemble at Delhi on the 23rd instant a conference consisting of certain provincial representatives of banking interests to consider "whether any, and if so, what special measures should be taken in connection with the present situation" in regard to cotton in Bombay. The Conference, we need hardly observe, is a wise step and in the right direction. Only we wish it had been taken in the first instance without either delegating Mr. Howard here or waiting for the appeal of the Bombay Government, so importuned by the cotton clique. It is to be hoped that the Conference will be ably represented, that is to say by men capable of entertaining sound views on broad lines, and able to find a practical solution of the difficult and complicated problem,—a problem found not the less difficult in the cotton growing States of America and at Liverpool. In our columns, yesterday, we referred to the action of the growers at St. Louis and what the merchants, bankers and planters have done by way of evolving a scheme worthy of serious consideration by President Wilson. The Delhi Conference would do well to take a leaf from the book of these sound men of business in the United States, for, we are convinced, that in that case they will be able to come sooner to a satisfactory settlement. None of the bizarre schemes so much talked about recently in our local cotton chambers need be considered at all. They have no more value than the paper on which they have been propounded, with all the astute Philistinism their writers are capable of. The Government of India would also do well to leave severely alone all projects, the undercurrent of which is Philistinism or Phariseeism. It should take up the question from a loftier pedestal, the keystone of which should be how to arrive at a settlement which will give the greatest satisfaction not to one section of interests or a single interest alone; but to all interests. It is here that the Finance Minister may possibly meet with a pitfall. But we have every confidence in his wideawake capacity.

But when all is said and done, the authorities should remember that what is wanted in all parts of India at present is no help to any sectional interests but to all interests alike. As we have observed before what is most wanted is a gradual restoration of credit, which at present is at its very nadir. We are convinced the only way is for the Government to make available such a reasonably larger cash balance to each Presidency Bank, compatible with its own financial necessities on account of the war, as will enable these banks to accommodate exchange and other good banks and well-recognised firms or institutions on excellent security at a fair rate of interest. The advances should be for such a limited period as the Government may determine, the minimum being six months. The very fact of such balances having been made available will have a most assuring effect on the trading public, which cannot get on without reasonable accommodation or credit. That moral effect will have its greatest influence not only at the great distributing centres. It will percolate through the smaller towns till it reaches the producers. Perhaps, at this juncture no trade is so badly situated as the piece-goods, Indian and Manchester. It is estimated that about 12 crores of rupees worth of yarn and cloth in Bombay alone is locked up which can find no market in the consuming or distributing centres. How can the offtake be effectively brought about? By the restoration of credit. Credit will put heart into the middlemen who are the chief instruments of the trade. The middlemen are the people who can stimulate this offtake among the mass of the consumers. Thus the intermediary is the most important link in the chain. That link must be fortified. If this were done then we should see at once the financial blood, now moribund, circulating in the arteries and veins till each pore of the body commercial is vivified. That should be *the* one aim and object of the Government of India at this juncture. Cotton may be as cheap as blackberries, but if there are no consumers in the country who will buy it? If the mills, through further adverse circumstances, are obliged to close, crores of loans on cotton will not help the cotton dealers. The real remedy is to revive the *whole* trade of the country, of which piece-goods is the most important. Thus it can be seen of what great importance for the wellbeing of country is the restoration of credit which may again vivify our entire trade, cotton included. Relief to one section or interest at the expense of the general masses of the people will bring us no nearer a real solution than what we are to-day.

THE WAR CREDITS.

The fact that the Government has already expended the first war credit of a hundred millions, that Parliament has just voted another 225 millions, and Mr. Asquith's statement that the war is costing Great Britain a million a day, bring home to the mind in solid facts the immense strain which British credit is being called upon to bear. But the Imperial Government has taken upon itself more than its own burden. Belgium has been given a loan of ten millions and Servia one of £800,000, interest on which is not chargeable till the end of the year. Then the Imperial Government has generously relieved the self-governing Dominions of the necessity of going to the London market for their loans, and no less than thirty-and-a-quarter millions has been lent to South Africa, Australia, New Zealand and Canada to enable them to pay for their contingents. We say "lent," because although Reuter's telegram is not altogether explicit on the subject, it is hardly to be supposed that this sum is to be a free gift to the Colonies. There would be very little merit in their offers of assistance, if they were not going to pay for the expeditions they are sending.

There is no mention of India, but we trust that, if, and when, India needs to be relieved of the necessity of going to the London market for a loan, there will be no hesitation about treating her on the same terms as Belgium, Servia and the self-governing Dominions. India occupies pride of place to-day in the extent to which she has rendered assistance to the Imperial power; we trust that she will not be made the Cinderella of the Empire again, when it comes to a question of affording financial accommodation. We take it, however, that no such question has as yet arisen. It is a fresh tribute to her value as an asset of the British Empire that her army was ready and available for immediate service, and that her toops were fighting in the field before any of the Colonial contingents had left their own shores. This is not a time when anyone in India wishes to indulge in undue boasts or to crow over the rival Dominions, but let it not be forgotten that now, as ever, by the sacrifices she has made, before the Dominions began to think of armies and navies of their own, she is the first and the most valuable support in a time of crisis. It would be monstrous if she were to be left out of any financial arrangements of the kind described by Mr. Asquith, if there is any necessity for her to be included. The old policy of inviting her into the drawing-room when there is something to receive from her and thrusting her back into the kitchen when there are any favours to distribute is, we trust, over and done with for ever.

Notes of the Day

The Safety of the Canopus.

The announcement that the battleship Canopus is safe is extremely gratifying. We may assume that her consort, the auxiliary cruiser Otranto,—ex-Castle liner,—is also safe. The mystery of the separation of the Good Hope, Monmouth and Glasgow from the Canopus and Otranto has yet to be explained. At present we have only the German version of the unfortunate affair off the Chilian coast, for the account given at the time by the Admiralty was obviously obtained from the British Consul at Valparaiso, who must have got it from German sources. It is clear now that the three British cruisers were taken at a disadvantage and had to fight against overwhelmingly superior strength. The only explanation that can be assumed for the fact that they entered into action under such circumstances is that they had orders to endeavour to engage the enemy in a containing action until the rest of the British squadron came up. It is not likely that we shall get any further information of the whereabouts of the Canopus until the German squadron in the Pacific has been accounted for. It is essential, of course, that until then her whereabouts, as well as those of other British warships in the Pacific, should be kept secret.

"The Gates of Hell.

Sheikh Seyd, which has been occupied by an Indian force, is a small town in Arabia, and is of importance only because of its position. It stands on the point of Cape Bab-el-Mandeb, in the narrow strait of that name, which means in Arabic "Gates of Hell," and is the Arabs' picturesque way of referring to the heat of the Red Sea. The straits form the southern entrance to that sultry stretch of water. Sheikh Seyd is right opposite Perim, and only a mile and a half distant, but the trade and cable route for vessels entering or leaving the Red Sea is between the island and the coast of French Somaliland, and not through this narrow channel. The forts on the Arabian Coast in the neighbourhood of Sheikh Seyd might have done some damage to Perim, which is a British coaling and telegraph station, but could hardly have interfered with shipping. Now that they are in the hands of Indian troops a potential source of annoyance has been removed, and the position will possibly be of use as a base for our forces in Arabia.

Mahim and the Town Planning Act.

A memorial has been addressed to the Governor-in-Council by the land-owners, ratepayers and residents of G (Mahim) Ward, in connection with the Bombay Town Planning Act which is on the legislative anvil. The memorialists apprehend that, though it is not specifically mentioned in the statement of objects, Mahim, which is the only undeveloped portion of the city, will be principally affected by the proposed legislation. The memorialists submit that the Bombay Municipality and the City Improvement Trust have severally carried out efficient works of public utility such as roads, drainage, etc., in the city of Bombay excepting the Mahim Ward, and so long as these two bodies exist there is no need for ushering the Town Planning Act into this city for the purposes of Mahim alone, as the Corporation and the Trust have ample powers to formulate adequate schemes for any improvement there. The Development Committee in paragraph 42 of their report has made the suggestion to Government that "Mahim could be usefully developed by a process of Town planning" because "it may be anticipated with confidence that before long the development of this area may become an exceedingly costly undertaking." The memorialists submit that this suggestion is unjust and unfair and against all equity as it leaves the other Municipal Wards which were benefitted from the funds contributed by the Mahim Ward quite free from contributing towards the development of that Ward. As the owners of land in Mahim are generally poor, the additional burden of a costly Town Planning scheme, the memorialists urge, will create much discontent and dismay. We fear the Mahim memorialists are conducting a "forlorn hope."

Pulp for Paper in India.

The Forest Research Institute at Dehra Dun, which has been established as an adjunct to the Forest College at the same place, has just issued its Progress Report for the year 1913-14. The Institute is being run at a cost of about a lakh and a half annually to the Imperial Government, there being five branches or departments, namely Sylviculture, Forest Botany, Forest Economy, Forest Zoology and Forest Chemistry, the last branch having at present an Indian chemist, Mr. Puran Singh, F.C.S., is at its head, while the others are in charge of European officers of the Forest Department. While the first, second, fourth and fifth of the above branches of the Institute carried on the work of research in their respective lines efficiently enough, it is to the department of Forest Economy that one naturally turns to look for some practical work of immediate industrial value accomplished. From the Report we find that the department conducted among other things investigation into paper and match manufacture. Two grasses *Phragmites Karka* and *Anthisteria Gigantea* were tested for paper pulp on a comparatively large scale in two Indian paper mills. The results, we are told, were negative and did not come up to expectation. For want of time and proper assistance to the Economist the investigation has been postponed. It is, however, satisfactory to learn that tests of the value of bamboo pulp have proved more promising and that an agreement for a bamboo concession over a comparatively large area has been signed.

Wood for Matches.

As to the manufacture of matches, it is believed that it will be found possible to use spruce and the silver fir of Northern India for the splinters. A large firm is stated to be enquiring into this with every prospect of a successful result. Investigations were also made into various products such as tan barks, gums, resins, oil seeds, oil grasses, wood oils, fibres, etc., with good results. As is natural the work of the Department is growing beyond the capacity of the present staff and material assistance is requisitioned from the Government to enable the Department to meet its obligations to the public from whom enquiries on technical and industrial problems are pouring in, in an ever increasing manner. It is to be hoped, especially in view of the peculiarly opportune circumstances created by the war in the industrial world,—that the departments of both Forest Economy and Forest Chemistry at the Dehra Dun Institute will be properly equipped and enquiries in all possible directions of economic utility coming within the range of the Forest Department will be pushed on vigorously.

Germany's War with U. S. A.

If Germany had not been immediately engaged in the war with the Triple Entente it would have been difficult to foretell where she would have ended her career of throwing down ultimatums to every nation. All our readers are by now quite familiar with the names of von Bernhardi and Trietschke. Another writer, who is not so well-known is General von Edelsheim, of the General Staff of the German Army, who in his memorandum on "Operations upon the Sea" has elaborated plans for the defeat of the United States. The little work is understood to have been published with the Kaiser's approval. The author's innocent purpose in writing this can be realised at once when he begins by saying that Germany cannot meekly submit to the "attacks of the United States" indefinitely, and she must ask herself how best to "impose her will." Von Edelsheim calculates that within four weeks of the declaration of war on the United States, Germany would be able to commence effective land and sea operations against her and land troops at different points in the enemy territory simultaneously. Then by repeating what has been done in Louvain, Malines and other cities, namely "destroying all buildings serving the State, Commerce and Defence, by taking away all materials for war and transport, and lastly by levying heavy contributions" Germany should be able to inflict damage on the United States."

Heine on Prussia.

The German Poet Heine expressed himself in 1832, in the following terms to those who to use his own words "wished the power of Prussia extended."

"As for myself," he writes, "I have never had any desire to share this confidence. On the contrary, I regard this Prussian Eagle with apprehension, and while others vaunt his daring glances towards the sun, I look the more attentively at his claws. I could not trust this Prussia, this tall, pietistic hero in gaiters, this braggart with the capacious maw, carrying a corporal's staff, which he first dips in holy water before bringing it down on one's head. I had great misgivings about this philosophic-Christian military despotism, this medley of beer, deceit, and sand. Repulsive, deeply repulsive to me was ever this Prussia, this pedantic, hypocritical, sanctimonious Prussia—this Tartuffe among the nations."

THE PRUSSIAN PROFESSOR.

A CHARACTER-SKETCH OF AN INTELLECTUALIST.

PROFESSOR VON HACKANDSMACK.

The author of the recent character sketch on a Prussian nobleman, Herr von Sodawasser, which appeared in these columns contributes the following sketch of Professor von Hackandsmack.

I have recently been reading so many queer statements from the Prussian press that I have wondered if some of my friends in that village of renown, Berlin, (famous for the manufacture of such domestic commodities as sausages, sour-cabbage, falsehoods and brutality) were not the authors of some of them. More particularly I have bethought me of my dear friend Herr Professor Ritter von Hackandsmack (Order of the Red Vulture) an eminent exponent of culture as recently evinced at Louvain. The personalty and career of Ritter von Hackandsmack are certainly deserving of publicity. In early life this renowned intellectualist, distinguished in youth as author of "The Sword is Mightier than the Pen," was intended for Holy Orders but, finding that this was a weary, wicked world where mildness of temperament was often the *raison d'etre* for being sat upon, decided upon leaving the destinies of "the church militant here on earth" to those more suited to fulfill the sacred functions of priest to the Hosts of the Lord, and, with great self-sacrifice, gave up this spontaneous idea and set himself to tasks more consistent with his pacific frame of mind. The immediate result of this decision was the production of a remarkable volume entitled "The Bayonet as an Asset of Culture." This sudden plunge into higher metaphysics may be said to have been the foundation-stone of my learned friend's fame and fortune, inasmuch as it drew on him the gracious notice of the Kaiser, at once sovereign and patron of Prussian arts and letters.

AT THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

Before one could say "Donnerwetterheller" (which means "love thy neighbour as thyself" Russians, French and English excepted) he became the confidante of the vice-regent of God, who enraptured with the sublime morality set forth in "The Bayonet as an Asset of Culture," promptly named him Imperial Delegate to the Peace Conference at the Hague. This offered my learned friend a mighty scope for bringing into operation those pacific traits in his character of which symptoms had already been noticed in his former works. He earned himself great distinction in the Dutch capital by the excellent and well-thought-out paper which he read on a "Vindication of Dum-dum Bullets," holding that the higher metaphysical morality of modern Prussia required the earliest possible cessation of hostilities in any future campaign, a state which could be acquired by the speedy despatch of any "contemptible little army" with which his government might have to cope. This argument appeared so feasible that it had the prompt support of the Austrian delegate, Count von Parrot, who, according to the ancient traditions of the Bellplatz, faithfully repeated what the Wilhelmstrasse has said. But, unfortunately, at this juncture some absurd shop-keeping-commercial-minded-unlearned-in-higher-metaphysics (all this is one German word) English delegate, supported by an "Asiatic barbarian" of a Russian, squashed the Dum-Dum idea and threw the learned professor into a state of philosophical neuritis, from which he only recovered on being decorated with the Holy Order of the Red Vulture for his redoubtable services to the Vaterland. He was also named Peace-adviser to the Kaiser and despatched on a friendly mission" to those two absurd antiquated universities of Oxford and Cambridge. Finding there that the cellars were better than the philosophy, the learned professor overstayed his visit, wrote a poem entitled "Our English Cousins" for the "Morning Post" and "Torpedoes and Turpitude" for the German Press, went down to London and incidentally to His Majesty's Theatre. Here Ritter von Hackandsmack was thrown into deliriums of derision on seeing Sir Beerbhom Tree acting the subtile part of Hamlet. Hastily packing his bags, and, not omitting, to place therein certain plans of Portsmouth, supplied by one who pursued the harmless calling of German waiter at Claridge's, the Professor left for Berlin in disgust. He had come to startling conclusions,—The British were not cultured and Shakespeare was a German,—but Beerbhom Tree most emphatically was not.

THE GREAT GERMANS.

These conclusions were swiftly followed by a volume entitled "Shakespeare a German." Thrown into Imperial delight, in a moment of supreme generosity, the Kaiser promised Herr von Hackandsmack the dignities of a Prussian nobleman if he would continue his admirable researches into the genealogies of the Great (of other nations). With commendable zeal an ultra-popular library was soon produced proving beyond all metaphysical doubt that Cyrus, Hannibal, Caesar Jack Johnson, Socrates, Zoroaster, Buddha, Harry Lauder, Gertie Millar, Roxelana Suleiman the Magnificent, Cromwell, George Robey, the author of Childe Harold's Pilgrimage, the Faery Queen *and Hitchy Coo* were of the Germanic race. An appendix to the effect that Tsar Nicholas was also a German was about to be issued when it was announced that the only distinction that he might expect from that quarter being the Order of the Boot, Herr Professor betook him to a much-needed rest (as the clergy say) in a garrison town in East Prussia, where the environment was

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THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

TURKISH FORTS CAPTURED.

OCCUPIED BY INDIAN TROOPS.

FALL OF CRACOW IN SIGHT.

RUSSIAN WAR LEVIES IN PRUSSIA.

The Admiralty announces that Indian troops, assisted by the British cruiser Duke of Edinburgh, carried out successful operations against the Turkish garrison at Sheikh Seyd, and occupied the forts east of Cape Bab-el-Mandeb. The troops lost four killed and sixteen wounded.

A Paris communique says there has been nothing but a simple cannonade from Nieuport to above Dixmude. The enemy's troops endeavoured to cross the canal between Dixmude and the east of Bixschoote, but have been hurled back beyond the bridges. A German regiment has been annihilated southward of Bixschoote.

The Germans have resumed the bombardment of Rheims with heavy guns.

It is reported in Venice that part of Cracow is burning, that the city is invested and expected to fall immediately. The inhabitants are fleeing.

A new Austrian Army which greatly outnumbers the Serbians, has entered Serbia.

Proposing the vote of 225 millions, Mr. Asquith said it was required principally for Army and Navy expenditure and also for loans of our own amounting to 43 millions. Belgium was receiving 10 millions and Serbia £800,000, and in addition there were Dominion loans.

Mr. Asquith said the cost of the war was a million pounds daily, which did not exceed the estimates based on the enormous scale of the operations. The present vote of 225 millions would provide till April and leave a reasonable margin.

The Prince of Wales has gone to the front and it is understood will be attached to Sir John French's staff.

The Government are to propose motions in both Houses for a national monument to Earl Roberts.

A message to the "Daily Mail" from France says that when Earl Roberts learned that the Indians were parading to receive him without great-coats he discarded his coat in spite of protests and thus caught the chill.

AUSTRIANS ENTER SERBIA.

NISH, Nov. 17.

A new Austrian Army which greatly outnumbers the Serbians, has entered Serbia, compelling the Serbians gradually to retire in order to give battle in favourable circumstances.

GATES OF THE RED SEA SEIZED.

BAB-EL-MANDEB FORTS OCCUPIED BY INDIAN TROOPS.

SHEIKH SEYD OCCUPIED.

CAPTURED BY INDIAN TROOPS

BRITISH CRUISER ASSISTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 16, 4-5, a.m.

The Admiralty announces that Indian troops, assisted by H. M. cruiser Duke of Edinburgh, carried out successful operations against the Turkish garrison, at Sheikh Seyd and occupied the forts east of Cape Bab-el-Mandeb.

After the warship had disabled Fort Turba, three battalions landed in-face of opposition, carried the enemy's positions and occupied the forts.

Large amounts of munitions and six field guns were captured. The troops lost four killed and sixteen wounded.

Cape Bab-el-Mandeb is thrown out by the Arabian Peninsula in the straits of the same name between Arabia and the continent of Africa, by which the Red Sea is connected with the gulf of Aden and the Indian Ocean. Within the straits, but nearer to Arabia, lies the bare rocky island of Perim since 1857 occupied by the British as a fort.

Sheikh Seyd is an Arabian Port on the Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb.

The Duke of Edinburgh is an armoured cruiser of 13,550 tons with a speed of 22.3 knots. Her armament consists of six 9.2 in. guns, ten 6 in. quick-firers, 22 small quick-firers, 8 machine-guns and 3 submerged torpedo tubes.

£225,000,000 WAR VOTE.

WILL LAST UNTIL APRIL.

WAR COSTS A MILLION A DAY.

LONDON, Nov. 16, 8.40 p.m.

In the House of Commons to-day the vote of 225 millions sterling was passed, and also, the vote for a million men.

Proposing the vote of 225 millions, Mr. Asquith said that the recent vote of a hundred millions had been expended on the actual conduct of the military operations, loans to our Allies and securing the country's food supplies, especially sugar.

The new vote was principally for Army and Navy expenditure and also for loans of our own amounting to forty-three millions.

Belgium was receiving ten millions and Serbia £800,000. Interest would not be chargeable till the end of the war. Then there were Dominion loans.

He pointed out that in the ordinary course South Africa, Australia, New Zealand and Canada would be compelled to go to the London market. Government would relieve them of that necessity to the extent of thirty and a quarter millions.

Mr. Asquith said that the cost of the war was a million pounds daily, which did not exceed the estimates based on the enormous scale of the operations.

He could not hold out hope that the actual expenditure was likely to diminish. The present vote of 225 millions would provide till April and leave a reasonable margin.

The supplementary vote for a million men brings the total of regulars up to 2,186,400, exclusive of regulars.

WAR LOAN OF FIVE HUNDRED MILLIONS.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The "Daily News" states that a war loan of five hundred millions is to be raised, in two instalments.

THE CANOPUS SAFE.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

Mr. Churchill announced in the Commons that H. M. battleship Canopus was safe.

The Canopus is a battleship of the pre-dreadnought era, of 12,950 tons with a speed of 18.25 knots. She was sent to strengthen the British Flotilla in the Pacific, but did not take part in the Chilean coast action.

POPE'S APPEAL FOR PEACE.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The Pope has issued an encyclical urging the belligerents to make peace.

GERMAN REGIMENT ANNIHILATED.

ALLIES HURL BACK THE ENEMY.

POSITIONS RE-CAPTURED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 16, 5-45 p.m.

A communique issued in Paris says:—

Along the Yser canal, from Nieuport to above Dixmude, there has been nothing but a simple cannonade. There have been further floodings, and the submerged country now extends south of Dixmude to within five kilometres of Bixschoote.

The enemy's troops endeavoured to cross the canal between Dixmude and the east of Bixschoote, but have been hurled back beyond the bridges.

A German regiment has been annihilated southward of Bixschoote.

Two German attacks southward of Ypres have been repulsed, and we assumed the offensive and re-captured *points d'appui* which the enemy took days ago.

Between the Lys and the Oise there have been only small engagements. We have made partial progress.

There have been uneventful cannonades on the Aisne in Champagne. The enemy again attacked Saint Hubert unsuccessfully. A German *coup-de-main* in the Forest of Apremont failed.

There has been little activity in the Vosges.

PARIS, Nov. 17.

It was officially stated last evening that the situation was unchanged.

GALLANTRY OF BRITISH TROOPS.

TRENCHES CAPTURED AFTER ARDUOUS MARCH.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

A soldier at the front has sent home a brigade order of General Bulfin, describing how the first and second brigades recaptured the trenches on the Bixschoote-Langemarck road on October 23rd. Five hundred prisoners were taken and fifteen hundred German dead were found in front of our trenches.

General Bulfin commands the first battalion of the Loyal North Lancs, the Northamptonshires and the second battalion, King's Royal Rifles, especially, the first-mentioned, who marched the whole of the previous night without food or rest. They advanced under heavy fire, formed up close to the enemy's trenches and charged with the bayonet. They captured most of the prisoners.

BOMBARDMENT OF RHEIMS.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

A "Morning Post" message says:—"In the Champagne country the Germans have renewed the bombardment of Rheims with heavy guns.

Their lines extend in a semi-circle round the city. They still hold several forts and make constant night attacks on the French trenches.

FOR VALOUR.

NINE VICTORIA CROSSES AWARDED.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The award of nine Victoria Crosses is announced in the Gazette, five to officers and four to non-commissioned officers. Three died of wounds.

SIR DOUGLAS HAIG PROMOTED.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

Lieut.-General Sir Douglas Haig has been promoted to the rank of General for distinguished service.

JAPANESE TROOPS ENTER TSINGTAO

TOKIO, Nov. 17.

The Japanese troops entered Tsingtao with ceremony.

They have held a memorial service for the dead.

PRINCE OF WALES.

GOES TO THE FRONT.

JOINS SIR J. FRENCH'S STAFF.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 17, 1-30 a.m.

The Prince of Wales has gone to the front. It is understood that he will be attached to Field-Marshal Sir John French's staff.

ARRIVAL AT BOULOGNE.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The Prince of Wales was enthusiastically received by the troops on landing at Boulogne yesterday morning. His Royal Highness conversed with the wounded on the quay and in the train.

BRITAIN'S CALL TO ARMS.

SPECIAL ENLISTMENTS IN INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Nov. 17.

An Indian Army Order Special notifies that in addition to enlistments under the existing conditions enlistments in the regular army will be opened in India under the following conditions for men who are anxious to serve their country during the continuance of the present war:—

(1) Enlistments will be for a period of three years with the colours, or if the war lasts longer for the duration of the war; if however the war lasts for less than three years the men so enlisting will be discharged with all convenient speed.

(2) All such enlistments to be for general service.

(3) Age, nineteen to thirty-five years.

(4) Standards of height and chest measurement and all other conditions as at present in force.

(5) Pending the issue of the new shortened form the attestations will be carried out on the Army Form B. 2065, notice paper being on Army Form B. 2065 A. A supply of these forms should be obtained as required by all concerned from the Superintendent, Government Printing.

The following instructions will be observed:—

(1) Only men of European parentage (see definition, Army Regulations, India, volume 2) are eligible to enlist.

(2) In each of the following stations a recruiting officer is specially appointed,—Calcutta, Bombay, Madras,—who will be the adjutant of the Territorial battalion. These officers will receive staff pay at Calcutta at Rs. 75 per mensem and at Bombay and Madras at Rs. 50 in addition to the pay and allowances they already receive. An officer's allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem each for these officers is also sanctioned.

(3) Recruits may also be enlisted at the head-quarters of any regular British unit or any Territorial brigade of artillery or battalion of infantry. The adjutants of any of the above units are ex-officio recruiting officers without pay.

(4) At places mentioned in sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) above such numbers of ordinary recruiters as may be required, will be appointed. They will be selected from non-commissioned officers of regular British units or from the permanent staff of Territorial units. Authority to recruit will be issued by officers commanding the units. They will not leave their own stations for the purpose of recruiting. No extra duty pay for this work will be given but rewards authorized in paragraphs 584, Army Regulations, India, volume 1, will be be admissable.

(5) The medical examination of the recruits will be carried out by a medical officer of the regular army or of a territorial unit.

(6) The recruits will be ttested by an officer commanding a regular British unit, an officer commanding a military station, a magistrate or a justice of the peace.

(7) Final approval of the recruits will be carried out by an officer commanding a regular unit or an officer commanding t a military station.

(8) Enlistment under the terms of this order being for general service, recruits can be appointed to any corps. The wishes of the recruits as regards appointment to a special corps or to a special unit of that corps will however receive full consideration and will be met whenever possible. The recruits will only be posted to units remaining in India.

(9) Applications for authority for special enlistments on Army Form B 203 will be forwarded to the Adjutant-General in India.

A "Times of Ceylon" London cable reports that Lieut Marker, a former A.D.C. to Lord Curzon, has been seriously wounded. His right arm is broken and left arm has had to be amputated. He is progressing well in a French base hospital.

CRACOW IN FLAMES.

IMMEDIATE FALL EXPECTED.

INHABITANTS FLEEING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 17.

It is reported in Venice that part of Cracow is burning, that the city is invested and expected to fall immediately. The inhabitants are fleeing.

NEW CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS.

GERMAN OFFENSIVE FAILS IN EAST PRUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 17.

A communique says: "After our victorious battle near Warsaw the Germans are retreating completely. They have destroyed railways compelling us to rebuild even the smallest aqueducts.

Thus the enemy has gradually succeeded in reaching his own territory and has begun a new concentration of troops covered with masses of cavalry from the western theatre and reinforced by the Austrians.

Resulting battles are now developing on the Plotsk-Lentchitsa-Vneioff front.

The Germans in East Prussia endeavoured to take the offensive at Stalluponen and Possessern at several points simultaneously. They failed and were compelled to retire.

Fighting continues at Soldau and Neidenburg.

Our offensive against Cracow and the Galician front is maintained.

We have captured ten officers and a thousand men south-west of Lysko.

AUSTRO-GERMAN STRATEGY EXPLAINED.

GREAT FLANK-CRUSHING TRAP ARRANGED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 17.

The "Pioneer's London correspondent cables:—The fighting in East Prussia has now reached the area of the Masurian Lakes. No correspondent states whether these are yet frozen, but it is known that some of the transport in Poland is now on runners instead of wheels.

The special correspondent of the "Telegraph" states that the Austrian-German Council of War decided on the 3rd instant that the Germans should entice the Russians into the zones off the fortresses of Posen, Glogau and Breslau.

In the hope of crushing one of their flanks, they are concentrating forces for this purpose in East Prussia and the neighbourhood of Oppeln, north-west of Cracow.

One portion of the Austrians will defend Cracow and another concentrate and reorganise in the Carpathians. The correspondent adds that there are signs that the execution of these plans has begun.

TIT FOR TAT.

RUSSIAN WAR LEVIES ON EAST PRUSSIAN TOWNS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

A message to "The Times" from Copenhagen says that the Russians imposed on conquered East Prussian towns war contributions approximating to those imposed by the Germans on Belgian towns of corresponding population.

MOSLEM LOYALTY.

A Bombay Government Press Note issued yesterday states:—

Resolutions expressing loyalty to the British Government and condemning the attitude of Turkey have been received from—Muhammadans of Surat, Mian Sadrudin H. Darghawalla of Navsari and 10,000 followers, Editor and Proprietor of the *Akbar-i-Islam*, Bombay, Muhammadans of Barsi, Muhammadans of Rajkot City and Civil Station (Kathiawar), Malek Jivankhanji of Bajana (Kathiawar), his Highness the Navab of Junagadh, The Raja of Bansda and the Muhammadans of Bansda, The Hon. Mr. Bhurgri and the Muhammadans of Sehwan and Mehar, Muhammadans of Sadra, Muhammadans of Kolhapur City, Muhammadans of Aden; his Highness the Nawab of Radhanpur, and Muhammadans of Kudchi, Belgaum District.

LATE EARL ROBERTS.

PROPOSED NATIONAL MONUMENT.

WORLDWIDE TRIBUTES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

The Government will propose motions in both Houses to-morrow for a national monument to Earl Roberts.

Speaking in the Commons, Mr. Asquith expressed the regret of the House at the death of a most distinguished and illustrious soldier.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

Owing to the overwhelming desire of the nation a memorial service for the late Earl Roberts will be held either in St. Paul's or the Abbey.

HOW HE CAUGHT THE CHILL.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

The Press Bureau says that Earl Roberts made a long journey round the positions on Thursday, which was a cold day, and on Friday he inspected numerous units *en route* including the Indians. He was everywhere greeted with enthusiasm and affection.

A message to the "Daily Mail" from France says that when Earl Roberts learned that the Indians were parading to receive him without great-coats he discarded his coat in spite of protests and thus caught the chill.

WORLDWIDE TRIBUTES.

LONDON, Nov. 17.

Telegrams of condolence to Lady Roberts are so numerous that they are being delivered in parcels.

The French press shares the British affliction at the death of Earl Roberts, and pays honour to his loyalty, up-rightness and brilliant career.

The whole German press expresses its esteem.

The tributes from the United States may be summed up in the words: "He was a great soldier, good man and gentleman."

CONDOLENCES FROM INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Nov. 17.

His Excellency the Viceroy has telegraphed condolences to Lady Roberts.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has cabled the condolence of the Indian Army.

BISHOP OF CALCUTTA'S REFERENCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 17.

At the conclusion of the evening service at the Cathedral on Sunday last, immediately before the sermon the Bishop of Calcutta speaking from the Lectern delivered a brief address upon the nobility of Lord Roberts' character and asked the congregation to thank God in their prayers for the example of so unselfish and inspiring a life. The Governor and Lady Carmichael were among those present.

MEMORIAL SERVICE AT CALCUTTA.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 17.

A memorial service will take place at the Cathedral at 8 a.m. on the day fixed for the funeral of Lord Roberts.

LATER.

In connection with the memorial service for the late Earl Roberts, which will be held at the Cathedral on the day of the funeral, his Excellency the Governor has signified his intention of being present.

The form of the service will be similar to that used on the occasion of the memorial service to the late Lady Hardinge.

WAR GAZETTEER.

The following places are mentioned in to-day's telegrams:—

YPRES.—In West Flanders, 18 miles N.-W. of Lille.

NIEUPORT.—In West Flanders, on the Yser.

DIXMUDE.—In West Flanders, 15 miles south-west of Ostend.

BIXSCHOOTE.—In West Flanders, about midway between Dixmude to the north and Ypres to the south.

APREMONT.—A small town near St. Mihiel, on the right bank of the Meuse.

CRACOW.—A city of Austrian Galicia, 259 miles N.-E. of Vienna. Its situation on the left bank of the Vistula gives it an important strategical position, to which may probably largely be ascribed the fact that for two and a half centuries it was the capital of Poland and is a fortified town walled and surrounded by forts on both banks of the river.

LONDON LETTER.

FINANCE & COMMERCE.

GERMANY'S FINANCIAL METHODS.

BLUFF, BOUNCE AND BLACKMAIL.

COMMERCIAL BRIGANDS

ENGLAND'S SOUND POSITION.

Discussing the financial outlook generally when the mail left, our correspondent lays special stress on Germany's childish tactics, in her attempts to mislead the outside world regarding the true state of her depleted exchequer.

As opposed to Germany's methods, a few solid facts are given with regard to the prosperous condition of the Bank of England, and the judgment and ability displayed by the Directors since the war crisis commenced last August, the increase in the stock of coin and bullion amounting to no less than £60,062,796.

Commenting on the great war wastage, a loss already allowed for, our correspondent recalls the startling revelation of the French want of confidence in their own country at the time of the Agadir crisis, when huge sums of French money were found to be invested in German enterprise. He also speculates on the effect it will have on France and our own country when "the world will be rid of commercial as well as martial brigands."

(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, Oct. 23.

Not only does the Stock Exchange remain closed, but there is scarcely any dealing between offices. Under the circumstances some amusement has been caused by an announcement on the part of the Committee amending their original order that members should keep their offices open for business from 11 a.m. till 1 p.m., on Saturday from 11 a.m. till 12 noon. Equal amusement has been caused by an announcement that the usual holiday will be observed on the first working day of November. It may be news to many of your readers that the London Stock Exchange has always been closed on the first working days of May and November since the oldest member can recollect; though few know the reason. The fact is that the custom dates from the days when business was almost confined to the Funds and dividends on Government securities were paid half-yearly; and that is about two hundred years ago. Such business as has been transacted in Throgmorton Street is scarcely worth recording, but it is at least comforting to be able to relate that prices are firm and members wonderfully optimistic.

Where Germany has not rendered herself dreadful, she has managed to be absolutely ludicrous. In all departments and among all classes, from the Emperor downwards, we look for the slightest evidence of dignity or nobility. In business circles the pretentiousness, bluff and bounce since the war commenced have been beneath contempt. In nothing has she been so childish as in regard to her war loan. Its success continues to be announced with much beating of drums and, particularly in London, naturalised emissaries, our enemies, are spreading favourable reports. As usual the Germans show but a poor appreciation of our intelligence. Is it likely that a country which, in the very early days of the war laid hands on the "savings of the poor," which has debased its coinage, blackmailed cities and otherwise resorted to every low trick for raising money, to say nothing of having enacted a moratorium, can have floated a successful war loan? When Germany was anxious to fly at the throat of France over the Agadir trouble, France withdrew her money from Germany and the latter country had to climb down; on the present occasion Germany was ready for a short war, to be supported by blackmail. Economically she is faced with a problem for which she had never calculated.

THE SILVER MARKET.

As I write there is a tendency for the price of bar silver to harden, the cause being a few buying orders from the Continent. Such business as is transacted now is, of course, all cash. The quotation at the moment is 22-13/16d. per oz. The week as a whole in the silver market has been abnormally idle and the spirit has been one of despondency. Even the quotation I have mentioned is lower than at any time for nearly six years.

Like other markets, that for silver, owes its depression to the war, the immediate influence being the unfavourable course of the China exchange, to say nothing of the war's effect on trade everywhere. While there has been but little demand for the white metal, supplies have notably increased and this fact has naturally been an adverse factor. Pessimists are in the majority at the moment, but those who venture to hope for better things and actually dare to talk of the chance of a sudden recovery have their eyes turned to the Far East. It is quite possible that a substantial order may come to hand from one of the mints; while there actually have been small coinage orders; but they have not been of sufficient substance to favourably affect the market.

BANK'S SOUND POSITION.

We may point with pardonable pride to characteristics of our financial system at the present time that compare favourably with the "bluff," that distinguishes those of Germany. Readers will know all about the emergency Treasury Notes that have been issued since the declaration of war. These were at first entirely dependent on the guarantee and credit of the Government. Since then, however, the weekly statements of the Bank of England have shown a determination on the part of the Government to give the holders something of intrinsic value in itself, and already they represent a solid gold fund accumulated to the extent of eight and a half millions. This is largely responsible for the fact that while the Reserve of the Bank has been further strengthened during the week, it has only been to the extent of £695,751, which is not up to the excellent increases of the previous weeks, following the great drain at the beginning of August when war was first declared. While commending this policy with regard to Treasury Bills, I am strongly in sympathy with those who favour the retention of the one pound paper notes, after the close of the war; indeed I see no reason why those for ten shillings should not also remain popular currency. Such a course had no less a champion than the late Lord Goschen, that brilliant financier's argument being that there would be a great deal of saving of waste due to the wear and tear of actual yellow metal in circulation. That the Bank Directors have acted with judgment and ability since the August crisis is shown by the increase of the stock of coin and bullion in the Bank to £60,062,796. By the way the increase in the war expenditure in connection with which the arrival of the Indian contingent must be taken into account, is shown in the figures of the Bank of England by the fall of nearly eight millions in public deposits.

In recent letters I have pointed to the trades and industries of Germany that we at home are already taking steps to capture. This opens up a train of thought that should lead to conclusions quite opposed to those of the killjoys who bemoan the "appalling losses in wealth and material progress" that must result from the war. I should like to point out at once that this is purely a business article. The brutalities, cruelties and hardships already inflicted on innocent people appeal strongly to us all; but for the moment I put them aside.

COMMERCIAL AND MARTIAL BRIGANDS.

It is not the first time that it has been pointed out in these letters that the destruction of armaments and the other paraphernalia of war is a wastage of the past. From the battleships to the armoured motor, from the siege gun to the quick firer, from the heavy shell to the bullet, all this wastage represents past manufacture that has been paid for. The ruthless destruction in Belgium and France is scarcely of account as compared with the world's wealth generally, and Germany will have to pay for it in the long run. In the meanwhile the world will be rid of a nation of commercial, as well as martial, brigands. France will be rid of a menace on her frontier, the demoralising effect of which can scarcely be realised by those who have not looked into the economic history of that country since 1870. It was a startling revelation of the French want of confidence in their own country that such huge sums of French money were found to be deposited in Germany and invested in German enterprise as was the case at the time of the Agadir crisis. Think of the position of that high-spirited people when the of Europe is brought to his knees! French money will find employment in French enterprise. In our own country we shall no longer be hampered by underhand German methods, nor will our industries have to compete with a country whose methods of trading were in many ways decidedly dishonest. Neither shall we tolerate hordes of German employees, underselling our labour, with the object of spying on their English masters and carrying the secrets of their business to their German rivals. Financiers and stockbrokers will not so easily lend themselves to those agents of German firms who, under the pretence of being *bona fide* English financiers, have been bent on using London as a dumping ground and undermining our position. Germany will have to regain the position she is so ruthlessly throwing away on legitimate lines. The process will be slow, but it is to be hoped it will result in a sounder and more healthy prosperity. No, the war will leave the atmosphere clear. The deadly cloud that hung over the financial world for two years previous to the outbreak of war was far worse than what we are suffering now. The torture was slower, but more demoralising and deadly. They are fierce times in which we are living, but we have much to be thankful for.

HAND-TO-MOUTH FINANCE.

In many ways we see how the war has cleared the air and rid us of that hand-to-mouth financial existence that had become a second nature in the city. For instance during the past few days seven or eight companies have announced receiverships. These include well known foreign railways such as the Madeira Mamore Railway, the Brazil Railway and the Paraguay Central Railway, as well as the Pacific Lumber Company. These are representative of a number of companies that have been hanging on the line, no good to anyone but a canker in the city. Three years ago the Canadian Pacific Lumber offered £350,000 six per cent. mortgage bonds at 93, which was paying pretty heavily for money. But it was simply good money thrown after bad and the Company has been in difficulties ever since. The present crisis is brought about by the trustees for the bondholders who are the Trustees, Executors and Securities Insurance Company. There are many weak enterprises like this that are being wiped away by the war which at its end will find the city a clearer and more wholesome place.

THE CHANCE FOR NATURAL INDIGO.

Talking of the benefits that the war will confer, here is some good news. I make no apology for extracting the following from the "Pall Mall Gazette":—

Is the blue suit that you are wearing dyed with pure East India indigo or with the chemical substitute with which the Germans in recent years cunningly succeeded in flooding the market?

The difference between the two is as great as the difference between gunpowder and dynamite, Mr. W. B. Bridgett, the well-known indigo merchant, said in an interview.

The real indigo, having the natural energy put into the plant by the sun, produces bright, rich shades, and makes the very best and fastest dye that has ever been discovered, whereas the German chemical substitute gives a dull, dead colour, which often washes out.

Before the Germans captured the trade the indigo industry was worth, £4,000,000 a year to India; it is now worth scarcely a twentieth part of this sum. It is one of the industries, however, that we are going to get back.

The first step is already being taken by the indigo trade, who are addressing a memorial to the Government asking that the clause which formerly always existed in their clothing contracts insisting on the use of Indian indigo should be reinstated.

The war has for the time being shut out the substitute from the market, and as the industry in India has been scattered by the Germans, all good dyeing Bengal indigo has advanced in price from 2s. 5d to 10s. 6d. a pound.

Meanwhile, for this foolish policy in allowing the Indian industry to be supplanted by the Germans, we are threatened with an indigo famine.

In addition to men's blue serge suits and women's blue serge dresses, policemen's and fishermen's uniforms, Admiralty serge, carpets with blue in them, nurses' uniforms, servants' blue cotton dresses, hosiery, and wools are amongst the things that have the German dye in them, and all these things will be dearer in consequence of the famine in dyestuffs.

THE PEOPLE'S BANK.

OFFICIAL LIQUIDATORS' REPORT.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Nov. 17.

The official liquidators of the People's Bank of India have filed their third report before Mr. Forbes, Additional District Judge, Lahore, in connection with the application made by certain depositors of the Bank under Sections 162 and 213, of the Companies Act, 1882, which came on for hearing to-day.

As several of the directors were not served with summons the hearing was adjourned to 2nd January.

The report which is a lengthy one, deals with various allegations made in the petition. It says among other things that the arrangement by which Harkishenlal drew a sum for each branch opened, was not a contingent upon the branch from its profits, but that arrangement was abandoned many years ago. The petitioner did not state which of the branches worked at a loss, nor did the accounts yield that information. Later on the liquidators say:—"Generally on the subject of this affidavit it is apparent that the petitioner and his informants are sufficiently well acquainted with the bank's affairs, to be in a position to state definitely to what particular transaction exception may be taken and that his careful avoidance of any definite statement to losses is deliberate."

The liquidators next state that the provisional official liquidator's report was made while he was pressed for time; that Messrs. Fergusson's report was somewhat gloomy and that certain mills owing heavily to the bank, are now working profitably. As to the payment of dividends from capital, the liquidators have no reason to believe that they were so paid to the knowledge of the directors. The liquidators conclude as follows:—

"The official liquidators are anxious to assist in any way in their power in a straightforward enquiry but strongly protest against the manner in which their time, which is of great value to depositors and shareholders, is being wasted by the unsatisfactory manner in which these proceedings are being conducted. The official liquidators have good grounds for believing that the allegations are well founded. The parties alleged to be behind these proceedings, have to all intents and purposes no interest whatever in the beneficial winding up of the Bank."

CALCUTTA PRIZE COURT.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 17.

At the High Court, to-day before the Chief Justice sitting in the Prize Court the Advocate-General mentioned the matter of the unclaimed and undelivered cargo of the German steamer Trostburg regarding which an order had been made for detention. Counsel said that in the meantime the Prize Court rules of 1914 were altered, but the new rules did not altar the situation. The proceedings need not be commenced *de novo*.

As the value of the goods was being depreciated by warehouse charges, the Chief Justice suggested to make the Port Commissioners appear and that they had statutory powers to sell the goods under their Act.

The Advocate-General next asked leave to amend the former monitions by adding a clause calling on them with regard to all except the Trostburg and Frankenfils, to show cause why these ships should not be adjudicated respectively as lawfully captured and condemned as prizes. Leave was granted and monitions so amended will be advertised.

Mr. H. J. Charlton, Chief Draftsman and Assistant, Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, North-Western Railway, is appointed to officiate as District Carriage and Wagon Superintendent.

VARIOUS WAR FUNDS.

THEIR DIFFERENT OBJECTS.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Nov. 17.

As there appears to be some confusion regarding the various war relief funds for which money is now being collected in India, the following brief summary is published for general information:—

The Imperial Indian Relief Fund, was started by his Excellency the Viceroy, with the approval of his Majesty the King-Emperor, in order to afford relief to all classes of persons in India to whom suffering may be caused by the war. The fund collected will be devoted not only to helping members of both British and Indian units, of the military contingents despatched from India, but also any other classes of persons in India, civil as well as military, who are adversely affected by causes connected with the war, such as loss of employment, bereavement or otherwise. That portion of the fund eventually devoted to the relief of those connected with the Army, will probably be distributed through the agencies of the Indian Patriotic Fund and the Soldiers and Sailors' Families Association, which has branches all over India. The collection of funds is in the hands of Major Mackenzie, C.I.E., Viceregal Lodge, Delhi, and subscriptions will be received by the following banks: The Bank of Bengal, the Bank of Bombay, the Bank of Madras and the Alliance Bank of Simla. The distribution of funds is controlled by a committee presided over by Sir William Meyer, to which Mr. Fell, of the Government of India, is acting as Honorary Secretary.

The Prince of Wales Relief Fund was started to afford corresponding relief in the United Kingdom to all classes, military and civil, to whom distress might be caused by the war. No portion of it is available for expenditure in India. Subscriptions to this fund may be paid into any Government treasury and the amount will be transferred Home through the India Office.

The War Fund of the Indian branches of the St. John Ambulance Association, has been established for the provision of comforts for sick and wounded of the Indian Expeditionary Force, whilst in hospital or on hospital ships, ambulance trains, etc. A list of these comforts has been arranged in consultation with the Director of Medical Services in India, and boxes of Red Cross gifts are divided up into 10 bed units for field hospitals as well as into large units of 100 beds for general hospitals and special consignments are also sent for hospital ships. This fund has nothing whatever to do with the supply of comforts to combatants in the field. It is merely intended for the alleviation of the suffering of sick and wounded in hospitals. In connection with this fund a central receiving depot has been opened in Bombay, which receives gifts from all parts of India and arranges for their despatch to the front in consultation with and under the order of the Director of Medical Services in India.

A fourth fund has been started in England, which is called "The Indian Soldiers' Fund." The objects of this Fund as stated in Lord Roberts' appeal are:—Firstly, to provide for Indian soldiers, who may be wounded or fall sick in this war, a hospital in warm climate in which they will be able to regain health and strength so as to return either to the front completely cured or to their own country happy and in good spirits. Secondly, it is proposed to supply comforts for Indian soldiers while in the field and to replace warm clothing with which they will start fully supplied. The St John Ambulance Association in England has appointed a sub-committee in connection with the Fund of which Sir John Hewett is the Chairman. Arrangements as to the location and maintainance of the hospital and collection and distribution of comforts and garments, will be made by this sub-committee. Donations of money may be sent to the Mercantile Bank of India, 15 Grace Church Street (Indian Soldiers' Fund); parcels of clothing and comforts to Selfridge's, Oxford Street, London, marked "Indian Soldiers' Fund." Sir John Hewett has pointed out that while the Indian troops will have come to Europe amply supplied with all necessaries, losses in this war are likely to be much heavier and damages by wear and tear far greater than in expeditions in which the Indian troops are usually employed, while the G. O. C. will not find it easy to purchase in any local market articles needed to replace losses and to repair damage. There will thus be a wide field for the energies of the Indian Soldiers' Fund in this direction.

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 17.

A Belgian Relief Fund has been started in the United Provinces. The movement was initiated at a meeting called by the Hon. Mr. H. Ledgard of Cawnpore of the non-official members of the United Provinces Legislative Council at the close of the Council's general business at Allahabad on Monday. Mr. Ledgard has agreed to act as honorary treasurer.

Official and Personal.

The Hon. Mr. Beatson Bell has taken over temporary charge as a member of the Bengal Executive Council.

Lord Edward Fitzgerald, who has been shooting for some time in the Mysore forests, has bagged an elephant, six bison and a sambhar between himself and Mr. Cole, his secretary. They had rather hard luck losing a good tiger. Lord Edward leaves for Europe shortly to rejoin the Irish Guards.

Mr. C. Radford Young, Government Advocate, Burma, has been appointed to act as a Judge of the Chief Court of Lower Burma in the absence of Mr. Justice Twomey, who has been granted leave until January 4th.

When you've been talking all day in a stuffy room it usually results in a headache. It needn't last but a few minutes. Stearns' Headache Cure relieves it. 180—C7

THE PRUSSIAN PROFESSOR.

(*Continued from page 6.*)

suited to his reveries on brotherly love and lasting peace. He filled his leisure hours with training puppies (Dachshund) for military purposes, and such great success did he acquire in this branch of science that the Imperial Chancellor was constrained to advise his sovereign to place the Crown Prince in the charge of the Professor. So apt was the Heir Apparent that his training was much shorter than that of his canine comrades, and to the delight of the pacific professor he took away with him a reputation to the effect that his bark was worse than his bite!

WHAT THE PROFESSOR IS NOW DOING.

Here I must violently end the career of Herr Professor Ritter von Hackand smack, so typical of other intellectual Prussian Academical careers, for, just at this moment, when he had finished lecturing the Crown Prince at Danzig, a perfidious British Ambassador at Berlin had the insolence to call at the Wilhelmstrasse for his passports. Since then communications have been broken off between Berlin and the rest of the civilised world and the uncivilised, that is to say the rebellion-infested British Empire. Though I cannot follow his movements further yet, the numerous opportunities I have had for reading his portentuous mind leave me in no doubt as to what he might be thinking or doing. These are stirring times. Von Hackandsmack who so consistently spoke and wrote on "The Yellow Peril" has changed ere now his colour. "Nations of Culture beware of the Brown Peril" is his battle cry! The savage hordes of Asia represented by barbarian Indians and wild Algerians are menacing the Holy Land of Sour Cabbage! I am certain the Professor is engaged on a voluminous work to prove that Indians and Algerians are not Germans (unless they gain an ultimate victory). The professor is an Aryan enthusiast. His Aryanism led him to believe that his "compatriots" of India would throw in their lot with Teuto-Aryanism and stand up for "culture." But disappointment cannot damp his energy. His mighty pen is already inked for a stout defence of Rheims and Louvain. Graphic defeat of the British Army 'tis his to describe for the Berlin masses. A volume proving that it is philosophically impossible for Germany to fall is in course of compilation. It may never be published, but some day we shall look for the original mss. in the British Museum side by side with the love letters of querulous queens. The veil of gloom which temorarily shrouds the Hosts of the Lord the Professor will dispel. The Berlin populace already convinced on the nationality of Julius Caesar will one fine morning rejoice to discover, thanks to von Hackandsmack, that Sir John Jellicoe, has returned to the land of his ancestors and hoisted his flag at Wilhelmshaven.

The Railway Board have sanctioned the construction by the agency of Messrs. McLeod and Co., Calcutta, of a line of railway on 2 ft. 6 inch gauge from Ahmadpur to Kutwa, a distance of 32.19 miles.

Mr. J. H. Cardew, Electrical Engineer, North Western Railway, is promoted to class 2, grade 5, of the superior revenue establishment of State Railways.

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INDIAN HISTORY AND THE B. A.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I read with interest in your paper of to-day's issue the discussion about introducing Indian History in the pass Curriculum of the B. A. Examination in the meeting of the University Senate on Saturday last. It was but natural that Dr. Mackichan felt never more confused about a subject than on the present occasion after hearing a number of experts. And it would have been good if his motion to ask the Syndicate to review their decision had been accepted. There is an apparent flaw in the proposal as it has been passed. The subject of Indian History has been relegated to the rather unimportant group of optional histories. An Indian student of history must study English History, but may or may not study Indian History. He is an Indian student specialised in the subject of History, but knows little of Indian History. It would have been good if the Board of Studies for History and the Syndicate had asked the learned professor to propose that Economics, English History, and a period of Indian History be three compulsory papers and that for the fourth paper an option be kept between the comparatively unimportant subjects of European and Ancient History to which poor Indian History has been unfortunately relegated.—Yours, etc.,

A STUDENT OF HISTORY.

INTER-UNIVERSITY CRICKET.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I have just heard that it will not be possible for the Madras University to send a cricket side to Bombay this December. Owing to the war, many of their best men are already engaged. The medical students are busy with the equipment of the hospital ship, now being fitted but in Madras, and some of the European students from Bangalore are already on active service. The authorities, therefore, find it impossible to raise anything like a representative side, and think it best to postpone the match.

I should be much obliged if you could insert this letter in your columns.—Yours, etc.,

G. ANDERSON.

Elphinstone College, Nov. 15.

ARRIVAL OF TERRITORIALS AT FEROZEPORE.

Associated Press.

LAHORE, Nov. 17.

The new "Daily Bulletin" publishes a report of the arrival of Territorials at Ferozepore on the evening of the 14th instant. They were given a rousing reception by the local gentry and civil and military officers.

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THE INVENTOR.

Ferdinand von Zeppelin was born at Constance in 1838, and studied at Tubingen. He fought in the American War of Secession and served also in the Franco-German War. Afterwards he devoted himself to the study of dirigible balloons. He made his first ascent in a "rigid dirigible" in 1900. Heart-rending failure was his for some time. But by 1913 he was able to sell to the German Navy an airship with a length of 525 feet, and a volume of gas capacity of, 776,000 cubic feet. The possible speed was 52 miles an hour.

BALLOON TO ZEPPELIN.

The Zeppelin is a hybrid, neither aeroplane nor balloon. It does not fly but floats, owing to internal support from gas. The full meaning, the history and employment of both kinds of aircraft are given in "The Aeroplane" (T. C. and E. C. Jack, 3s. 6d.), a stupendous and surprising book by Claude Grahame-White and Harry Harper. Our fathers would have regarded such a volume as a mad dream beyond the realms of Jules Verne. We look upon it with interest, which is heightened as the street lights are hidden and the searchlights of London await the rash menace that lurks behind a German Belgium.

The balloon was the idea of Stephen and Joseph Montgolfier, who derived their invention from watching the clouds. Their father was a paper manufacturer. So they filled large paper bags with hot air. These were the first balloons. In 1783 one of these (thirty feet in diameter) reached a height of about a mile. The same year saw a stronger balloon in flight. Its passengers were a sheep, a duck and a cock, which alighted in safety. Later in 1783 Pilatre de Rozier ascended 100 feet in a balloon. And soon afterwards coal-gas was used instead of hot air.

In 1852, Gifford flew at the rate of seven miles an hour in a cigarshaped balloon inflated with gas. When the petrol engine came in, Santos-Dumont, a Brazilian, flew round the Eiffel Tower in a cigarshaped balloon-ship. The use of the propeller solved the problem of direction, at least in fair weather.

The chief difficulties were:—

Obtaining rigidity, so as to drive ahead firmly.

Countering dangers of puncture.

Steering.

Securing lifting and carrying power.

The Zeppelin has achieved these results in a remarkable manner. The hull is of aluminium, sheathed with a fabric tightly stretched. Inside this are some seventeen separate balloons, each in its own compartment. The lifting power is about thirty tons.

Until quite receptly one could book passenger tours through Cook's for Zeppelin trips in the Black Forest in vessels furnished with restaurants. To-day, equipped with wireless and loaded with bombs, they can be used as long-distance scouts and as incendiaries

The tremendous noise of the engines has been remedied and the size of the newer ships reduced. Expert engineers are employed for their navigation. The chief hindrance of the Zeppelin is its need of a large shed or dock. It is the Dreadnought of the air, at once the most offensive and the most vulnerable unit of the aerial navy.

THE ZEPPELIN IN WAR.

As a scout, the Zeppelin is supreme. As a mere incendiary, it has destructive power. But once it comes near enough for accurately-planned destruction, it becomes an object of attack in two ways.

The aeroplane-gun can penetrate the thin shell and force it to descend. Also the deadly load of bombs may explode and blow the whole thing to splinters. The Zeppelin cannot turn so quickly as an aeroplane. We shall see the result of this defect if and when the tremendous audacity of an attack on London falls on and about our ears.

WHAT TO DO.

If this strange visitation should come, it would be as well not to join crowds, as if it were a display of firework. In Antwerp cellars and basements were found useful. The London "area" will have a chance of providing itself something more than an architectural and domestic defect.

Do not shoot, unless you want to hit a friendly aviator, whose heroic business will be to charge and ram the monster. These aeroplane light-weights carry a gun quite big enough for their purpose.

The bombs droppped by Zeppelins are of two kinds. One is a highly explosive one, capable of wrecking the greater part of a house by destroying a roof or a wall. Otheds are less dengerous as explosives, but burst into flames when they alight. Guns also are carried.

AERIAL WARFARE.

The authors of this book devote a chapter to a general study of aerial tactics as well as many chapters to the wider history and possibilities of fight navigation.

Straight shooting and mobility are the ruling qualities in all aerial manoeuvres. Mr. Churchill described the tactics as those of "egg-shells battering at each other with hammers." And we incline to think that the biggest bigg-shell will be hit by more hammers than the small bird-like one.

According to "Collier's Weekly" (U.S.A.), one German airship already has been brought down near Aberdeen. A scoutmaster was patrolling one night when he observed the vessel, which had been manned by Germans, in the West of England. Of this we have no confirmation from an official source.

A TOUR OF FRENCH "MARTYR TOWNS."

M. BRIAND'S VIVID NARRATIVE.

M. Aristide Briand, Minister of Justice, and M. Albert Sarraut, Minister of Education, visited the theatre of war in the east of France, at the beginning of last month.

M. Briand describes the tour, which was undertaken at the request of the Cabinet Council, as at the same time terrible and reassuring. They visited the "martyr towns" of Nomeny, Revigny, Beauzee, Gerbeviller, Clermont-en-Argonne, Lerouville, Vaubecourt, and Luneville, and saw the ravages caused by the Germans.

"The details of the savage cruelty and stupid vandalism of the enemy," said the Minister of Justice to a representative of the "Temps," "are so numerous that it is not possible to enumerate them. Deliberate and useless burning, inhabitants pushed into the flames, lewd vengeance taken upon the innocent and feeble—nothing has been wanting to complete the horrible devastation caused by our unworthy foes.

HOPE AMID RUINS.

"Yet hope springs from these smoking ruins. The people have kept an invincible belief in the future. The work of destruction has not shaken their courage. Serraut and I have seen a wonderful thing—women, children, and old men returning to their ruined homes and taking up their work, attempting to save all that the Germans have left of their harvests. We have not heard a single complaint. The peasants say: . . . But we shall get the upper hand, shall we not?"

"In the trenches we found gaiety, confidence, a growth of enthusiasm of such vigour that it is impossible to doubt the result. Between the officers and the men there is a close brotherly friendship. You can see at a glance that the discipline in our ranks is founded on the supreme quality of free will.

"All the commanders with whom we spoke stated that the health of the troops in excellent, better in some respects than in time of peace."

M. Briand and M. Sarraut found in the hospital at Nancy their old friend and colleague of the Loire, Senator Reymond, air pilot, who was mortally wounded in the course of an air reconnaissance. Around his broken aeroplane when it fell there raged a terrible fight, the French being determined not to leave the airman and the wounded observer in the hands of the enemy. The Senator was able to make his report clearly and intelligently, and was then taken to the hospital.

"C'EST FINI."

"He was still conscious and tried to smile," said M. Briand. "He recognised us and gave us his hand. Then he said:

"'Voila! . . . c'est fini! . . , I hope you will keep a pleasant memory of me. . . .'

"We tried to say some comforting word to our heroic colleague, but they came haltingly from our lips. He shook his head:

"'No, no. . . it is finished,' he said again.

"We again took his hand. It was a last good-bye.

"We went away, not wishing to weep before this valiant man, who saw death coming with the smile of the soldier who has accomplished his task.' Two hours after, while we were watching the battle a few kilometres away, we were told that he was dead."

Summing up the results of their tour, the two Ministers declared that all along the front of the East, from Verdun to Lorraine, they found the same atmosphere of courage and carried away the conviction that the Allied forces will secure a brilliant victory over a foe whose mad, blind rage has made him blunder.

In reply to a letter from the Director-General, Commercial Intelligence, who desired to be suppplied with particulars of the expected imports and probable prices of sugar in Rangoon, the Burma Chamber of Commerce has stated that ordinarily the imports of sugar into Burma during October to March amount to about 15,000 tons, but this year it is expected they will fall far below this figure as the bulk of August to December supplies have been resold by Rangoon dealers to Java speculators and that if the buying power is not seriously curtailed by want of markets for rice and other country produce there is likely to be a serious shortage of sugar in Rangoon. The price quoted for Java sugar, January to March shipment, is 19sh. 6d. per cwt. c.i.f., Rangoon.

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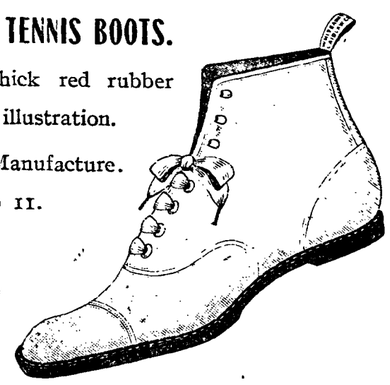

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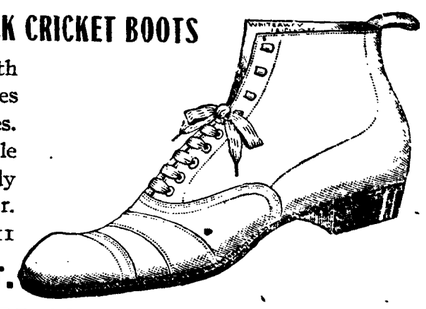

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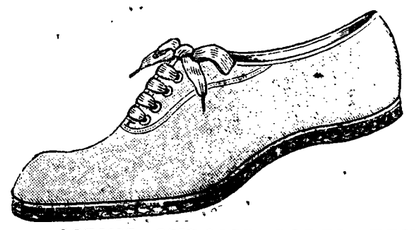

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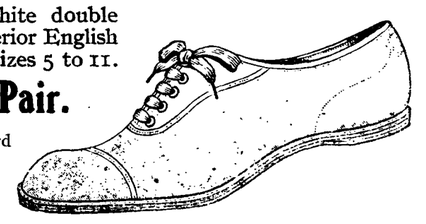

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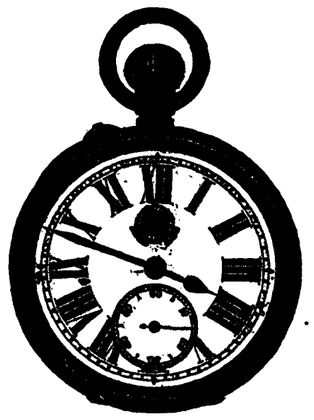

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